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2 GIRLS BURNED TO DEATH

ALCO WINS IN VANDERBILT AUTO CUP RACE

Contest Great Disappointment, and a Mockery Compared With Former Events

SQUABLES OVER TIME BRING OUT PROTESTS

After Two Cars Finish Event is Finally Called Off by Officials

MOTOR PARKWAY, Minola, L. I., Oct. 30.—Under circumstances which turned the event into the hollowest mockery of an automobile race ever witnessed on Long Island, Harry F. Grant, driving a 60-horse-power Alco car, won the fifth Vanderbilt cup race, completing twenty-two circuits of a 12.64-mile course in 4 hours, 25 minutes and 42 seconds. Edward H. Parker, at the wheel of a 45-horse-power Fiat, was second, 5 minutes and 16 seconds behind the winner. William Knipper, driving a 40-horse-power Chalmers-Detroit car, was in third position when the race was declared off by the officials.

Only two other cars, the Mercedes, driven by Wishart, and the Atlas, driven by Knox, were on the course to the end.

Although run under unsurpassed weather conditions, the race was marred in its early stages by the simultaneous presence on the course of three separate sets of cars running three distinct races over the same course and in its final period, after the smaller cars had left the circuit, by accidents so numerous that but five of the fifteen Vanderbilt cup entries were left as contestants.

Not until the beginning of the twentieth lap, when the Fiat dislodged the Chalmers-Detroit from first position and as itself passed in the back stretch by the same course and in its final period, after the smaller cars had left the circuit, by accidents so numerous that but five of the fifteen Vanderbilt cup entries were left as contestants.

For a brief period then it seemed as if the finish would be witnessed, but in the twenty-first lap and in the twenty-second lap Grant widened the gap that separated him from the field and finished virtually alone.

Up to within one lap of the finish the officials were at odds as to the number of laps which the leading car had finished, and it was only after a vigorous protest from the entrants of the Alco that the correct reading of the time card was announced.

RACE DISAPPOINTMENT.
The time made by the winner was equivalent to 60 1/2 miles an hour average for the entire distance of 273.08 miles.

The small car race run simultaneously with the chief event, despite the fact that the Masapaga sweepstakes and the Wheatley Hills sweepstakes were won, the first by Joe Matson, driving a 25-horse-power Chalmers-Detroit and the second by W. W. Harrold, driving a 32-horse-power Marlin.

In point of attendance the race was also a disappointment.

MOTOR PARKWAY, Minola, L. I., Oct. 30.—The fifth Vanderbilt cup automobile race, reduced to the level of an ordinary stock car contest, was started promptly at 2 o'clock today in conjunction with the Wheatley Hills sweepstakes and the Masapaga sweepstakes, two

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Fear of Operation Makes Boy Steal Rig and Burn Barn

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 30.—Little eight-year-old Harry McDonald, who tried to burn the St. Louis county jail at Clayton after he had stolen a horse and buggy, driving sixteen miles into the country and put the horse in a stable, was burned both the barn and the beast, was released today on a bond of \$200, signed by his mother, Mrs. Mary McDonald.

The mother told Circuit Judge Wurdeman that the boy had taken the rig merely to get away from a doctor who operated upon him recently for adenoids.

Mrs. McDonald said Harry was operated upon successfully and has entertained a childish fear of the physician. She said her son did not know the difference between right and wrong and was not responsible for what he had done. Harry will appear next Friday before Judge Wurdeman in the juvenile court.

THOMAS PRATHER INDICTED BY UNITED STATES GRAND JURY

Warren English Also Indicted, and It Is Reported That D. C. de Golia Is Charged With Postal Law Violations

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—It has been definitely ascertained that Thomas Prather was indicted by the Federal Grand Jury yesterday. The report is that Warren English was also indicted. There are two counts against Prather and one against English, so it is said. Prather and English were indicted, so report says, purely for alleged violation of the national banking law in financing a government contract in Arizona. Twelve of the nineteen jurors voted for this indictment. The second indictment against Prather is for an alleged fraudulent transaction in connection with a note for \$15,000 given the defunct Union National Bank by I. H. Clay. No offense was charged against Clay.

The warrants have been withheld from service till Monday, when the case will be called in court.

Warren English is absent in the east, having left here some months ago. His present whereabouts is unknown. It is alleged that the charge set forth in the first indictment is outlawed by the statute of limitations, and that the charge embodied in the second indictment would have outlawed in another day.

THREE INDICTMENTS.

Three indictments were returned by the United States Grand Jury late yesterday afternoon, and placed on the secret file by order of Judge De Haven. The United States marshal, in whose hands warrants were placed to serve, declined to give out any information as to who the parties were named in the indictment. At the clerk's office and the office of the United States district attorney an equal reticence was maintained.

One of the parties indicted was Thomas Prather, the well known Oakland capitalist, and the possibility was suggested that an indictment had also been found against former Congressman Warren English. An indictment is reported found against Darwin C. de Golia, an attorney of Oakland, because of alleged violation of the postal law, it being charged that he had used the mails for a fraudulent purpose.

The indictment of Mr. Prather grows out of the complication resulting from the failure of the Union National Bank, which was wrecked through the operations of J. Dalzell Brown and his associates after Mr. Prather and his associates had sold all their stock and the control of the bank to Brown and Barnett.

For some months the receiver of the bank, H. N. Morris, has been demanding of Mr. Prather, Edson F. Adams and John Charles Adams the

payment to the bank of certain sums which he claimed to be due as the result of financial operations in which, he alleged, Messrs. Prather and Adams had used the bank funds for their own profit. Messrs. Adams and Prather denied that they owed the bank anything, denied that the bank had been injured in any way by any of the transactions, and refused to pay the claims set up by the receiver.

Mr. English appears in the transactions as a borrower of money from the bank, and Mr. Morris contended that he was merely a dummy agent for Messrs. Prather and Adams, and hence he claims that whatever losses the bank suffered through these transactions should be borne by Prather and Adams individually, and that whatever profits accrued belonged to the bank. Prather and Adams, having refused definitely to make the settlement demanded, the receiver appealed to the criminal law through the department of justice, and the Adams brothers were called before the grand jury to testify relative to the matters in dispute.

NEVER CALLED BROTHER.

Mr. Prather left a written request at the United States district attorney's office to be called as a witness, but it was not acted upon. He never appeared before the grand jury, nor was John Charles Adams required to testify after a subpoena had been issued for him.

The return of the indictments immediately following these circumstances gave rise to the report that Mr. Prather had been indicted, and also to the surmise that Mr. English had been indicted with him. It can be stated with certainty, however, that Edson F. Adams was not indicted, and there is every reason to believe that John Charles Adams was not included in the indictment.

TREAT MATTER LIGHTLY.

Mr. Prather's attorneys treat the matter lightly. They say they have as yet received no definite information that Mr. Prather has been indicted, although they frankly admit that an effort has been made to have him indicted. They say that Mr. Prather is prepared to meet the issue at any time and has no fear of the result. Up to noon today no warrant had been served upon Mr. Prather and no official notice given him or his attorneys that he was to be served with a warrant or any other paper similar in character.

It is known that no action on the indictments will be taken until court meets on Monday. Neither Edson F. Adams or John Charles Adams were indicted.

\$5000 TO WAGER ON C. M. FICKERT

There is on deposit at THE TRIBUNE office \$5000 to wager that Charles M. Fickert will be elected District Attorney of San Francisco.

This money will be wagered in lots of \$500 or more, even money, to all comers.

WOMAN SHOT AND BODY IS BURNED IN WOODS

Children Stumble Upon the Charred Remains and Notify the Police

THREE ARRESTS MADE IN QUICK SUCCESSION

Motive For Crime Is Not Known and Details Are Meager

HUNTERS, Wash., Oct. 30.—For the murder and cremation of a woman, James Logan and C. B. Hilton, prominent farmers living near Cedonia, Washington, and "Tennessee Jack" were arrested last night, following the discovery of the charred remains in a smoking log pile in a lonely spot in the Huckleberry mountains, nine miles east of Cedonia.

While trudging through the woods, Elmer, Ira and Charles Gifford, of Gifford, Washington Thursday morning, stumbled onto the remains of human bones scattered about the embers of a log fire. Coroner A. F. Cook of Stevens county, Sheriff R. H. Graham and Prosecutor H. B. Kirkpatrick were called from Colville.

ARRESTS FOLLOW.

Hilton and "Tennessee Jack" were taken into custody on the ranch owned by Logan and Hilton and are on their way to the county jail at Colville in charge of Sheriff Graham. Logan was arrested at Davenport yesterday afternoon.

Logan and the dead woman started from Logan's ranch to Blue Creek, ostensibly to close a real estate deal and when near the spot where the body was burned, Logan left the rig there to open a gate. After the woman had driven through, Logan is said to have shot her. The body was then carried to the spot where it was burned. Logan drove to Blue Creek and boarded a train for Davenport, where he was arrested following the news of the murder. The woman was employed as a cook and helper at the Hargis Helmer ranch, where she had been working for six months.

MOTIVE NOT KNOWN.

SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 30.—Nothing has been learned as to the motive of the murder of the woman at Cedonia last night and from the story on received here the only evidence against Logan is the fact that he was the woman's companion and that he was seen by another man standing by the burning pile that consumed her body. It is not stated what connection the other two men now arrested had with the crime. The scene of the tragedy is in an out of the way place and the sheriff has not yet reached Colville with his prisoners.

PLAN BIG BENEFIT FOR YOUTHS' DIRECTORY

Plans for a benefit to be given to help pay off the indebtedness of the Youth's Directory, founded by Rev. Father D. O. Crowley, will be made at a meeting, Monday evening, in Judge Quinn's court room in the court house. There is an indebtedness of many thousands of dollars on the Youth's Directory and friends of Father Crowley on this side of the bay plan an entertainment of some kind which will help raise funds for the institution.

RETURNS HOME TO FIND HOUSE HAD BEEN LOOTED

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Mrs. William Freeman of 446 Bodecker street, returned to her home at 7:45 last night to discover that burglars had completely ransacked the place.

The thieves took only the most valuable articles and it is supposed secured about \$200 in money and jewelry.

Out of Work; Tries To Make Wife Drink Acid; Ends Own Life

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—Unable to find employment in less than a week, Van Lewis Gogler, aged 32, shot himself through the head in the presence of his wife today. He died instantly.

The wife, rendered hysterical by the sight of her husband's death, first made statements that led to the suspicion of a suicide pact. Then she said her husband had tried to force her to swallow the contents of a four-ounce bottle of carbolic acid, and again asserted that she had snatched the bottle of poison from her husband's hand only to find him in possession of a revolver with which he killed himself before she could run out of the room.

Gogler and his wife came from Denver about a week ago.

Fair-Haired Norse Debutante to Invade Capital Society Circles



MISS INGEBOURG GUDE, who, with her sister, Miss Sigrid Gude, will be presented to Washington social circles this winter.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Prominent among the beautiful bevy of this season's debutantes who will make their initial social bow in exclusive circles here this winter is Miss Ingeborg Gude, who with her sister, Miss Sigrid Gude, will dawn on the social horizon for the first time at a dinner to be given by her aunt, Mrs. Herman Luxon, at the latter's beautiful home just east of the capitol grounds.

The girls are the daughters of J. G. Gude, the Norwegian Minister, and have been but four years in this country, having come here after concluding their education at one of the leading schools of their own country.

Both speak English, French and German fluently, though with a decided accent, and both are possessed of the fair-haired, blue-eyed beauty of their native clime.

PHOTOGRAPHER IS ADRIFT IN BALLOON

Gas Bag Breaks From Its Moorings and Carries Man Away

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—While A. C. Pillsbury was taking photographs of the water front here today from a balloon which was fastened to a launch, the big gas bag broke loose as it was being hauled in and when last seen it was sailing south at a high rate of speed.

Pillsbury wanted some panoramic views of the water front and obtained the balloon as the most practical method of taking them. The gas bag was fastened to a launch which followed the movements of the balloon.

With his work finished, Pillsbury signaled to the captain of the launch to pull in the balloon, but only a few feet of the cable connecting it with the boat had been wound up when the strand snapped.

The balloon had been pulling strongly toward the south and it was attached to the boat and broke away it ascended to a great height and flew rapidly toward San Jose.

Kahn Auto Backs Up, Runs Over Child

Shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon, an automobile occupied by Mrs. S. Kahn of 669 Oak street, was backed by the chauffeur against the sidewalk at Twelfth and Broadway, and the hind wheel ran over Freda Snug, a four-year-old child.

The little girl was brought to the Receiving hospital by Mrs. Kahn in the machine, and an examination showed that aside from a few severe contusions of the left leg, she escaped uninjured.

Mr. Kahn, who was taking the air for the first time since his recent illness, was completely overcome by the accident and was taken into the Chamber of Commerce to recover.

SEEKS \$10,220 DAMAGES FROM TRACTION COMPANY

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Mrs. Honoria Ross brought suit against the United Railroads this morning for damages in the sum of \$10,220. She alleges that on November 5, 1909, while about to alight from a car at Twelfth and Castro streets, it was suddenly started by the motorman, throwing her to the ground and injuring her severely.

LEAVES FORTUNE TO FAITHFUL FRIEND

Estate Bordering on \$400,000 Bequeathed to Marshall Scribner of This City

Behind the will of the late J. W. Zook, founder of the Armour Packing plant of Chicago, and president of the United States Smelting Company of Old Mexico, which leaves half of a fortune in property and outside interests bordering on \$400,000, to Marshall Scribner, proprietor of the Galindo hotel, on Eighth street, between Broadway and Franklin, there is a story of want and privation, and a warm friendship extending over three years during eighteen months of which time the aged capitalist depended almost wholly on the hotel man for his livelihood.

Zook, who has been prominently identified in large commercial enterprises all over the world for the past fifty years, died at the Galindo on Thursday of this week, after a lingering illness during which Scribner rarely left his side.

HEARS OF WEALTH.

It was not until after his funeral on Saturday, however, that the will leaving the half of his property to the hotel man was read, and Scribner today filed a petition through his attorney, David Mitchell, for letters of administration. The residue of the estate, some \$200,000, is left unconditionally to the dead man's children, Harry and Mabel Zook and Mrs. Annie Krolger, all of Johnston, Pa.

Scribner, who has all of the late capitalist's papers and documents of title in his possession, states in his petition to the court that the estate consists of an interest in 64,000 acres of land in Arizona, valued at \$220,000; mining claims in California county, Cal., valued at \$100,000; 250,000 shares of stock in the United States Smelting Company, valued at \$65,000, and a claim under a legacy left by a very rich man, but the value of which is not stated.

Of late years, while not involved, his funds have been considerably tied up, and going to the Galindo hotel three years ago he found himself badly embarrassed financially. Scribner, who is proprietor of the hotel, and the old man struck up an instant friendship, which grew and ripened with the passing months. Eighteen months ago, when Zook found his health failing he was drawn even nearer to his new-found friend, and all during the time of the illness which preceded his death he was cared for and practically supported by Scribner.

It is not known whether the children of the dead man will contest the will, which leaves them a comparatively small portion of their father's estate, as Scribner is said to have been very anxious to secure the will.

COSTUMES OF COTTON ARE PREY TO FLAMES

Receive Fatal Injuries While Taking Part in an Amateur Play

AMATEUR ACTRESS TRIPS OVER A JACK-O'-LANTERN

Panic is Averted By Coolness of Mother Superior and Several Sisters

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 30.—Amidst smiling Jack-o'-lanterns and while making merry for the audience during a Halloween entertainment at Loretto Academy, a Catholic institution for girls here last night, Miss Virginia Owen and Miss Mamie Tiernan, student actresses, were so severely burned that they died today.

Miss Mary Maley was severely burned while endeavoring to save her schoolmates. A panic was averted only by the coolness of the Mother Superior and several sisters.

All the girl actresses wore light eskimo costumes, covered with cotton to represent snow, while the stage was set with much cotton tinsel to represent the discovery of the North Pole.

DRESSED AS ESQUIMAUX.

A miniature globe stood in the center of the stage and around it were grouped the actors, each dressed to represent eskimos. After the tableau had started, Miss Owen tripped over a Jack-o'-lantern and in a second the flames had communicated to the other girls and the decorations. The blaze was extinguished before the fire department arrived.

When the flames began to grow unmanageable the Sister Superior of the convent, who was sitting among the cots in the front of the auditorium, rushed on the stage and using her flowing draperies to smother the blaze, attempted to lead the lives of the two girls. Their screams alarmed the other pupils of the school and for a time a panic seemed imminent. Scattering in every direction, the young thespians rushed into the grounds and streets, and it was some time before they were again gathered together.

The sisters were pressed into service, forming an involuntary fire brigade, and owing to their heroic work, the fire escaped, which were extinguished by the alarm, arrived to find the hall a smouldering wreck, but the rest of the building uninjured.

Midnight Trips to Homes of Poor to Learn of Conditions

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—An invasion of the homes of the poor at night when the inmates shall have retired is said to be one of the newest moves designed for the religious, moral and sanitary uplift of the national capital. Nocturnal descents upon such homes are to be made, it is said, by Rev. Reed H. Copp, probation officer of the District of Columbia, members of the police force and a health inspection.

Armed with a flashlight camera, the probation officers, it is said, will secure photographic evidence of the conditions that prevail when the candle of night has fallen upon the homes. He will have informed himself previously as to the relationships and degrees of consanguinity existing in the homes he will select for his visits. Homes of whites as well as those of negroes will, it is said, be approached.

Upon these tours, it is even said, newspaper men will be taken. The purpose, apparently, is to inform the public of such conditions as may be found to exist. Reports, too, will be made to the judge of the juvenile court. The probation officer is quoted as follows regarding his proposed expeditions: "This particular phase of the life of the poor has been so far overlooked by the juvenile court. I don't believe that as a general thing we will find conditions very bad, but I am confident that we do discover things that will prove a valuable enlightenment to the general public. Little thought is given at the present time to the immorality engendered by insufficient or badly arranged sleeping quarters. "I do not think the manner in which we approach them will be any way offensive. Our trip, while it may seem a bit unusual, is distinctly for the common good."

Dyspepsia Cured



A well-known woman of Camden, N. J., writes an interesting letter praising Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for relieving her husband and herself of serious stomach troubles.

"Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has done me and my husband a great deal of good. At times when I could not eat or retain anything on my stomach a tablespoonful of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey would give me strength and relieve me of that tired, nervous feeling.

My husband had stomach trouble and indigestion from childhood. It became so bad, he had to quit work. He began taking Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, a tablespoonful before meals and at bedtime. He was soon able to go to work, and eat a hearty meal.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is palatable, and agrees to the most sensitive stomach. I certainly am a friend of yours for the benefit derived from your medicine and heartily recommend it to all." Mrs. Sara E. Scott, 503 N. Fifth st., Camden, N. J.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

If you wish to keep young, strong and vigorous and have on your cheeks the glow of perfect health, take Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey regularly, according to directions. It tones and strengthens the heart action and purifies the entire system. It is recognized as a family medicine everywhere.

CAUTION.—When you ask your druggist, grocer or dealer for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, be sure you get the genuine. It's the only absolutely pure medicinal malt whiskey and is sold in sealed bottles only; never in bulk. Price \$1.00. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist," on the label, and make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Write Medical Department, The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y., for a free illustrated medical booklet and free advice.



VANDERBILT RACE WON BY ALCO CAR

Fiat Comes in Second and Only Two of the Entries Finish

short distance races for small cars. The weather conditions were ideal and served to bring a crowd of nearly a quarter of a million persons.

TWENTY-FIVE ENTRIES.

The twenty-five cars entered in the three races were sent away in three detachments. The first of these consisted of six cars ranging from twenty to twenty-five horse power and competing for the Massapequa trophy. The entrants for the Wheatley Hills sweepstakes, four in number, followed next in a class of their own. The fifteen contestants for the Vanderbilt cup made up the third division. The starters in the three events were as follows:

THE STARTERS.

- Massapequa sweepstakes, class four, fifteen laps, 126.40 miles:
- | Position and Car. | Driver. |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1—Chalmers | B. Brown |
| 2—Hudson | George Annise |
| 3—Chalmers | Joe Matson |
| 4—Maxwell | Arthur See |
| 5—Maxwell | Thomas Costello |
| 6—Maxwell | Martin Dorley |
- Wheatley Hills sweepstakes, class three, distance fifteen laps, 139.60 miles:
- | Position and Car. | Driver. |
|-------------------|---------------|
| 1—Maxwell | A. Matson |
| 2—Marmion | R. W. Harroun |
| 3—Columbia | R. Wilcox |
| 4—Moon | Philip Wells |
- Vanderbilt cup race, classes one and two, distance twenty-two laps, 278.00 miles:
- | Distance and Car. | Driver. |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| 1—Flat | Lewis Strang |
| 2—Simplex | L. A. Mitchell |
| 3—Flat | E. A. Farn |
| 4—Alfasomeer | Knox |
| 5—Apperson | Hugh N. Harding |
| 6—Chalmers | William Knipper |
| 7—Alco | F. Grant |
| 8—Chalmers | L. R. Lorrimer |
| 9—National | D. Aiken |
| 10—National | C. Miller |
| 11—Marmion | Harry Stillman |
| 12—Flat | E. Parker |
| 13—Eulok | Louis Chevrolet |
| 14—Mercedes | Spencer C. Wishart |
| 15—Isotta | Joe Seymour |

START IS PROMPT.

At the tick of 9 o'clock, No. 41, Brown's Chalmers-Detroit, was off. A great shout went up as the little blue car disappeared down the course. At intervals of fifteen seconds the other cars tore across the lap tops.

There was an interval of forty-five seconds to mark the separation between the cars of class four and those of class three.

The Marlon in the Wheatley Hills sweepstakes caught fire on the second round and was stopped at the repair pit. The last car was Charles C. Miller, when the buglers announced the coming of the first car to complete the round. This proved to be Joe Matson's Chalmers-Detroit, which had passed both Brown and Annise.

SIXTY MILES AN HOUR.

Of the Vanderbilt entrants, Mitchell's Simplex was the first to finish the circuit. His time was 12:31.5, equal to sixty miles an hour. Seymour, in his Isotta, withdrew from the race in the fifth lap, while in the fifth position, because of a broken steering knuckle.

Hearne's Fiat was out in the fifth lap on account of a broken crankshaft.

After nearly two hours' absence from the race it was discovered that Strang's disappearance was due to the fact that a large rock had torn through his radiator as he was sweeping past Hicksville on his second lap.

At the conclusion of the sixth lap, Knipper led the big car division with Wishart in the Mercedes second, and Harding in the Apperson third.

While the big fellows were finishing their sixth circuit the smaller fry in classes 4 and 5 were barely entering their fifth lap.

MATSON IN LEAD.

In class four Matson led with a margin of nearly six minutes over Brown. Annise was third.

In class 4 the first to complete the fifth lap was Harroun, with Wilcox in the Columbia second. The others were hopelessly distanced.

In his second lap, having repaired the broken radiator. At this time he had six laps to make up. Chevrolet, with his

GUNS THUNDER IN GREETING TO TAFT

President's Party in New Orleans. Gets Noisiest of Receptions

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 30.—To the rear of guns from the warships at anchor in midstream and saluted by the deafening bursts of the clanging of bells and the shrill cheers of 100,000 enthusiastic citizens who lined the banks of the Mississippi River, the President arrived at New Orleans after 12 o'clock this afternoon, bringing to a successful conclusion his long trip down the river from St. Louis.

It was a reception well worthy of the big President and that he enjoyed it was evident. Standing on the bridge of the train and waving little Olander, mated among the group of his personal entourage by his huge figure, he bowed and smiled happily at the thousands of the throng, turning now and then to whisper a comment to one of his aides.

HEADS BIG PARADE.

As the salute guns of the splendid battleship Mississippi ceased spitting out their noisy greeting and while Captain Marshall, in command of the squadron, stood on the bridge the President "grounded" and crept up to the wharf at the foot of Canal street.

"Plenty of water here, Mr. President," remarked one of the aides who have now nearly twenty feet beneath us.

A moment later the formal reception committee was on board and the President was escorted to the landing. Mr. Because of the late arrival of the President and party, the parade which he was to have led and reviewed was started at 11 o'clock and was moving when the noisy salutes announced the coming of the Olander. The major portion of the immense throng preferred to wait the arrival of the President to watching the parade and the welcome boat motoring from Italy.

DINES WITH PRELATE.

The President accepted an invitation to luncheon with Archbishop Plenk at noon and dined with him at the distinguished prelate. After the luncheon he began a strenuous afternoon. First he drove to the big Jesuit College and spoke a few words to the students. He then hurried to the Athenaeum, where he addressed the Waterways Convention, for a few moments. The principal point in an automobile to the principal drive in the opening session of the convention. The standards of different states, marking on the floor of the convention hall, and the location of delegates, gave the gathering the appearance of a political convention. The Mayor Bohman's address of welcome, President Kavanagh of the Waterways Association delivered his annual address.

CONVENTION DELAYED.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 30.—The delay in the arrival of President Taft postponed the opening session of the Lakes to the Gulf Deep Water convention until nearly noon today, but as soon as President Taft's arrival was announced, the program moved with alacrity.

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THIRTEENTH LAP.

Strang abandoned the race to regain a place among the survivors, and the field at the conclusion of the thirteenth lap was reduced to five cars.

The time then maintained was a shade better than sixty miles an hour. The casualties in the two small car classes were not so great. Four of the six starters in the Massapequa sweepstakes finished the ten laps called for.

In the Wheatley Hills race two cars finished the prescribed fifteen laps. Those to fall by the wayside were the Maxwell of Chevrolet, the Chalmers-Detroit of Brown, the Marlon of Munson and the Moon of Wells.

WINS MASSAPEQUA.

The Massapequa was won by Joe Matson, driving the Chalmers-Detroit No. 4, in 2 hours 9 minutes, 32.25 seconds. Martin Dorley, driving No. 45 Maxwell, was second, and Arthur See, driving Maxwell No. 44, third.

The Wheatley Hills sweepstakes was won by R. W. Harroun, driving the No. 32 Marmion, who crossed the fifteen laps of the course, or 139.60 miles, in 3 hours 10 minutes 21.25 seconds. The only other car to finish was the Columbia No. 32, driven by Wilcox.

'Three Twins,' Howling Comedy, Is Coming for Five-Day Sojourn



BESSIE CLIFFORD in "Three Twins" at the Macdonough Theater November 3, 4, 5 and 6.

The musical comedy success, "Three Twins," which had a run of five months at the Whitney Opera House, Chicago, and one year at the Herald Square Theater, New York, will be offered to Macdonough theater-goers on November 3, 4, 5 and 6.

"Three Twins" received the universal press endorsements on its opening in New York which stamped it as a high class attraction, and Mr. Ashton Stevens of the New York Journal said, "Three Twins" is a credit to Broadway.

There are more novelties in "Three Twins" than in all the other musical comedies combined. "The Dancin' Yama Yama Chorus," the wonderful rhapsody, and the gigantic electric aerial swing. No expense has been spared in costuming this attraction and the shows are said to be the handsomest in America.

The music, the most fascinating ever written, and the musical numbers are elaborately staged. The "Cuddle in a Little Closer Lovey Mine," showing the seven ages of cuddling is the most pathetic stage picture ever produced.

The company is a tremendously large one, and is headed by Victor Morley, who created the title role when the play was produced in Chicago and includes Bessie Clifford, Florenz Koh, Eddie P. Bower, W. H. Woodside, Harry Hamilton, Albert Livingston, Frank Smith, Harry Johnson, Ada Bateman, Lillian Sadler, Minnie Allen, Helene Saffinger, Ada Clifford and a chorus of sixty people. The orchestra is under the direction of Ivan Rudelli.

By Mental Telepathy Blind Student Gets Education as Doctor

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Blind from birth, but able through telepathy to take the difficult courses of medicine and surgery without study, is the remarkable condition of J. W. Bowlettin, a student in the Chicago College of Medicine and Surgery.

Bowlettin, a young Russian, asserts that through a sixth sense, which he cannot explain, he can read the minds of his friends and classmates and in that manner acquire from them the knowledge he obtained through hard study.

H. Wolk, a roommate of the mysterious blind student, said yesterday that after completing his studies for an evening, Bowlettin, even though no conversation had passed between them, would be familiar with the subject which he had been reading.

Bowlettin does not believe his power is anything supernatural and anything beyond what any man could do if he would think hard.

"The whole thing is largely a thing of memory and sound reasoning," he said. "With Wolk here I get along nicely. We understand each other thoroughly."

"Is it true that Wolk reads to himself and you understand what he is reading?"

He replied that it was.

YOUNG SON OF GEN. FUNSTON DIES

Mother on Way East to Join Husband—Heart Disease Brings Sudden End

Arthur McArthur Funston, the 8-year-old son of General Frederick Funston, died this morning at 12:20 o'clock at the home of his grandfather, Otto Blankert, 1319 Twentieth avenue, of heart trouble.

Mrs. Funston, mother of the boy, had left for Kansas City but three days prior to join her distinguished husband, not having the slightest intimation that her child was near to death. Two days ago Dr. Lillienkrantz was summoned, and found the child in a precarious condition.

All the medical science at the disposal of the physician was resorted to in an effort to save the boy's life, but the lad expired this morning after a brief spell of suffering.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been announced. The grandfather of the boy this morning telegraphed both General and Mrs. Funston, but as yet no reply has been received from them. The interment will either be in Kansas City or in Oakland, depending upon the wishes of the parents.

AUTO THIEF GETS BUT ONE YEAR IN PRISON

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—John Warner, who was convicted of having stolen a \$2500 automobile from the Royal Auto Livery Company on August 1, was sentenced to one year in San Quentin this morning by Superior Judge Dunne. In giving him the minimum sentence the court stated that he did not think Warner was of the criminal class.

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MANY HEAR OF TUBERCULOSIS DANGERS

Mass Meeting to Help Fight on Disease Draws Three Hundred People

MILK AND MEAT ARE DECLARED CHIEF MENACE

"Boil Milk," Urges Dr. Ward in Lecture on Dangers Hidden in Lactical Fluid

More than three hundred people were in attendance last night at the second mass meeting held by the Alameda County Society for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis in Chabot Observatory and as a result of the vivid portrayal of the terrible work of the dread disease, many recruits were gathered to the little army of Oakland people who are intent upon the work of stamping out the white plague.

The most important issue of last night's meeting will be a concerted effort on the part of those present to have changes made in the Alameda County Hospital which will enable tuberculosis patients to be cared for properly in that institution. Every influence will be brought to bear upon the County Board of Supervisors to make alterations in the county institution which will make it possible to give proper treatment to persons afflicted with the disease.

ON IMPURE MILK.—Among the several speakers who turned upon the tuberculosis causes and effects and ways of combating it at last night's mass meeting, that of Dr. Archibald Ward, State bacteriologist of the University of California, on "Pure and Impure Milk" was the most important. In accordance with his lecture Dr. Ward used stereoscopic slides showing the different ways in which milk became infected with tubercular germs, methods in use in many dairies and illustrations showing the different stages of the disease in dairy cows.

"One scientist several years ago declared that the idea of waging war against tuberculosis in cattle and as a means of preventing it in humans was useless—that we should concentrate our efforts to humans alone," declared Dr. Ward. "It would be like trying to cure the effect without stamping out the cause."

MANY ANIMALS INFECTED.—"So many animals are infected with tuberculosis and the direct result of their infection is the spreading of the dread disease to humans, that it is necessary to get at the root of the evil through the cause—at least I think so and I believe that is also the belief of the majority of men who are waging the fight against tuberculosis."

In his lecture, Dr. Ward first used slides which showed the development of tubercular germs in both meat and milk. The slides showed the rapid growth and spread of the germs until they were in sufficient quantity to overrun everything. "Tubercular infected meat and milk are the prime causes of the disease in humans," said Dr. Ward. "We took up the infection of cattle by the presence in the herd of one tubercular animal. In rapid succession and in a manner but too revolting to describe, we hearders to grasp fully the lecturer explained the different stages of infection, from the first infection of a healthy animal, partly diseased ones and finally the dairy cow which was in the last throes of tuberculosis."

CARE IN MILKING.

"Every dairy should be a model of cleanliness and the utmost care should be used in the milking," declared Dr. Ward. "Bureaus are sometimes all right, but carelessness in the milking of cows, the use of open buckets and failure to use water on the animal's udder preliminary to milking aid in the spread of disease."

Incidental to this phase to the spreading of the disease, Dr. Ward gave illustrations of the proper kind of a milking bucket and of dairy stables which were of sufficient assistance in preventing the spread of the disease.

"Unlike most people believe, tuberculosis is not inherent among these infected cattle," said Dr. Ward. "A young calf, taken from its mother after birth and fed upon milk which has been boiled in a kill and containing germs, will grow into a perfectly healthy animal, but if it is tainted with tuberculosis and peculiarly immune to the effects of the disease when exposed to it."

SHOULD SOIL MILK.

The same procedure followed in making a young calf healthy should be followed by humans in fighting the disease. All milk should be boiled before use. Few people realize that milk is the greatest and best way of killing tubercular germs in the fluid. Until every dairy in the state has adopted such preventive measures, tuberculosis will thrive and be a menace."

Miss Lucy B. Fisher, a nurse from San Francisco, who has had much experience in the combating of tuberculosis, delivered a very entertaining talk on her personal experience and told of means which would result in stamping out of the disease.

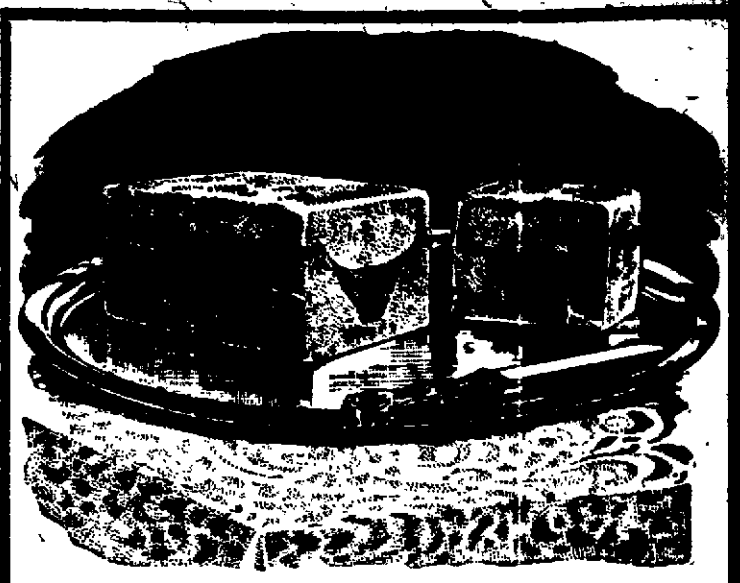
"If a man is afflicted with small-pox, he is rushed off to a pest house and guarded with guns to keep anybody from getting within a distance of him," said Fisher. "Tuberculosis is just as deadly as small-pox, but there are no such preventive measures despite the dangers of infection. People infected with tuberculosis are allowed to associate with healthy people, to expatriate upon the sidewalk, and to be with them in every way which would help the spread of the disease."

Fisher recited many pathetic instances which had to do with her work among tubercular patients. Her story was interspersed with hearty laughs over a composition written by a school boy on the subject of "Consumption." According to the strongest belief, Colorado is a very consumptive state, where people who had the disease slept with their heads in doors and their feet outside and where it only took six good breaths a day for a little while to cure consumption.

WANT NEW MEMBERS.

Other speakers of the evening were Dr. Thomas E. Hayden of San Francisco, on "The General Work of Prevention," and Dr. P. A. Majors of Oakland on the local treatment of consumptives at the International Typographical Union Hospital at Colorado Springs.

Preliminary to the lecture of Dr. Ward, President Kenneth Milligan, of the so-



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city. In a brief speech urged everybody present who was not a member to become one and for each old member to secure recruits, as the war against tuberculosis depended upon the concerted effort which was made to stamp it out. The society is doing good work under the direction of Dr. Florence Sycester, assisted by Miss Anna F. Brown, Mrs. Louise G. Smith, H. E. Robbins and others.

STREET TO BE OPENED THROUGH TYLER TRACT

ALAMEDA, Oct. 30.—City Engineer L. N. Chapman has staked out ground for a new street in the Gould-Nason tract at Everett street and Lincoln avenue. The new street will be called Gould Court. It is 21 feet wide. The tract was formerly owned by the Tyler estate, but was

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Campaign for Development.

The next two weeks will give the friends of the bonding propositions and the annexation of new territory an opportunity to brush away whatever cobwebs may obscure the vision of the wavering or the opponents of either. Most of these classes are laboring under misconceptions of how each one of the elections will affect them in the event the necessary vote to carry is cast. The bond propositions are sure to carry. No intelligent property owner or business man resident in Oakland wherever his business interests may be centered will vote against them. If the residence of the latter is in Oakland and his business interests are in San Francisco, he must realize that the commercial improvement of Oakland's water front is essential to retain the commercial supremacy of San Francisco bay and that, while Oakland will profit by virtue of its own financial investment in the construction of permanent docks and wharves, San Francisco, as the financial center of the Pacific Coast, will profit correspondingly. Business men are too broad-gauged to look at the water front improvement bond proposition from any other standpoint than that which helps one city helps the other also. The suggestion that there will be any opposition to the issuance of bonds from any such source may be dismissed as unwarranted because unreasonable. Extra taxation is a myth, for, as Mayor Mott has truthfully said, the revenues derived from the improved water front will pay for the improvements. As to owners of property they will be amply compensated by the increased values of property all along the eastern shoreline of the bay and every foot of territory in Alameda county. And as to the wage-earning part of the population, the water front improvements will increase the field of employment. That fact alone should be enough to suggest where their interest lies and determine how their votes should be cast.

On the question of annexation the frivolous objections that are being raised by the few opponents to that measure will be entirely dissipated during the two weeks' campaign of education which has just been opened. The greater beneficiary by annexation will undoubtedly be the annexed territory. The five-cent street car fare which is involved in the election is the least benefit which will accrue to the territory interested. That, in itself, should induce every suburban resident and property owner to vote for annexation. That is virtually assured without any official declaration in advance from any quarter. In addition to that protection against fire, police patrol, an equal share in all municipal facilities and the extension of the public park system are to be included and should carry due weight with every suburban voter. These are considerations, outside of the benefits to be derived from becoming an integral part of a great municipality with a great commercial future before it, which ought and doubtless will favorably influence every suburban voter on annexation election day.

Floral Exhibitions.

San Diego held a big flower show in the new Grant Hotel during the past week which, according to the Union, was a matter of special pride to the community and a superb display of public spirit and zeal. In commenting on the exhibition the Union says: "The affair is a striking illustration of the achievements that are possible when even a few earnest men and women set to work in an intelligent effort to bring results that shall be a distinct advantage to the entire community."

San Diego's flower show is an annual event. It has grown out of the organization a little over two years ago of a floral association for the purpose of fostering floriculture and increasing the city's attractiveness. This year's exhibition, it is claimed, ranks with Pasadena's tournament of flowers; Santa Barbara's floral carnival and the rose festivals of Santa Rosa and Portland, Oregon. It has, moreover, developed a general desire on the part of every resident to beautify the grounds attached to his home and making a more beautiful San Diego. The floral association has not been content with merely fostering annual floral exhibitions for the encouragement of this form of civic development, but it issues regularly a publication devoted to floriculture and to aid the community in this branch of home and municipal adornment and the results already obtained are described as something marvelous.

The example which San Diego has thus set to other communities might be emulated with profit by Oakland, in whose soil and climate flowers of every variety known to the temperate and semi-tropic zones grow in profusion and perfection in the open air. Oakland could really hold a floral exhibition even during Christmas tide, when the gardens of most cities in the country are locked up in ice and snow, which would be a bewildering display of magnificence and beauty to its own citizens and a revelation of the genial character of the climate and the fertility of Alameda county's soil to the strangers which such an exhibition would attract within its gates. In fact, it could vie at any season of the year with any city on the Pacific Coast for floricultural supremacy.

One fact is certain that every vagabond who has escaped or who may escape in future from Oakland's chaingang will give this city a wide berth for all time afterward.

Asiaties Denied Citizenship.

In a Los Angeles case it has been decided that a Syrian is not qualified to be naturalized as an American citizen on the ground that he is an Asiatic. Under that ruling Armenians are disqualified. In a Santa Rosa case the bureau of naturalization of the Department of Commerce and Labor has decided that a Turk is disqualified to be admitted to citizenship also for the same reason and that he must, moreover, surrender his declaration of intention to become a citizen. How Russians of Tartar extraction or natives of Siberia, Turkestan or any other part of Russia's Asiatic possessions will fare when they apply for citizenship remains to be seen. That a test case will be made before long is certain, for there are a great many Russians resident in this State at the present time. Los Angeles claims to have a colony of 5000 located in that city, where a Russian People's University has just been opened to give these immigrants an opportunity to study the language, art, literature and science of their own land and the laws and customs of the United States. This Russian educational institution is, furthermore, being fostered by the Los Angeles City Board of Education which has given it free quarters in one of the public schools.

A colony of 212 Russians were landed at Honolulu by the steamship Siberia on her last voyage. The colony is composed of contract laborers who have been imported to work on the sugar plantations of the islands. That they are a cheap lot is evident from the fact that in their own country they earned a monthly wage of only five rubles, which is equal to \$3.85 in American money. The presumption is fair that they intend to make their homes permanently under American jurisdiction and will probably in due time apply for American citizenship, as, on landing at Honolulu, they tore up their passports, thus burning the bridges between them and their native land. If the line of Asiatic birth or Tartar descent is drawn against any of these Russian contract laborers who may in time apply for admission to citizenship, the bureau of naturalization will be confronted with a new phase of the Asiatic problem. As contract laborers they will, of course, be subject to deportation if they land on mainland territory.

Now comes that cheerful witness, the editor of the Watsonville Pajaronian, with a fiery corroboration of the Bulletin's charge that the Call has betrayed Francis J. Heney and back-heeled the civic uplift engineered by Rudolph Spreckels, James D. Phelan, Wm. J. Burns and Fremont Older. Heney is grieved at the accusation, and writes—not on the same letter head, however, that he penned his famous \$30,000 receipt to the Contra Costa Water Company—that the Call "never done it"; that the Call is true and faithful. If Heney is to be believed, the Bulletin is a liar. But the Bulletin repeats the charge after Heney has denied being betrayed, and the Watsonville editor, who is still strong in speech though suffering from an aggravated case of frosted ambition to be postmaster, comes forward with the assertion that the Call is guilty. Now who is right? Heney says he has not been betrayed by the Call, but Fremont Older says he has and produces a Watsonville witness to testify to the betrayal. Surely the hand of that polished Machiavelli, James Dodo Phelan, is in this. It is an awful mix. Is Heney standing in with the plot against him in the Call office? Has Mahomet gone back on Islam? That blunt, honest Bill Skyes of Reform, the Bulletin, seems to think so. In the language of a famous statesman, where are we at?

It is now acknowledged that the Peary Arctic Club paid Barrill, the packer of Cook's Mount McKinley expedition, for his affidavit denying that Cook reached the summit. The Peary Arctic Club is the stage name of the coterie of individuals who have syndicated as a financial investment Robert E. Peary as a North Pole discovery. Neither the method nor the motive of discrediting Cook is creditable. In the first place, Barrill states more than he could possibly know, and starts out with the admission that he is a liar and a fraud, and with the further admission that he now contradicts his former story because Cook refused to pay him a balance he claims to be due him for services rendered in the Mount McKinley expedition. Barrill gives it out that he was the guide of Cook's expedition. He was not. He was employed as a packer. He appears in the light of a paid witness against Cook, with a false pretense and the confession of falsehood and conspiracy behind him.

The editor of the Pasadena News must have been run down by an automobile. Mere envy of the luxury denoted by the motor car could not excite him to such fierce indignation against the "devil wagon" of these decadent days. Even the insolence of wealth it symbolizes is insufficient to account for the fiery wrath he pours out on the "twentieth century assassin" of the public highway. It is reasonably certain that he neither owns an automobile nor is on terms of close intimacy with the owner of one. After pouring out his soul in righteous condemnation of speed maniacs and their unholty contempt for the plain people, he says: "As a matter of legal right the pedestrian is under no obligation to turn hand-springs for the amusement of the autoist, but most of us find it convenient to do so." Gee! but somebody must have made him jump! We are with him at that. The possessor of an auto is an oppressor of the poor—that is, unless he invites one to ride, and then the guest gleefully applauds his efforts to run down some less fortunate yeg.

Airship as Engine of Destruction

Hudson Maxim, like his brother, Sir Hiram, is an inventor of explosives and a devotee of the dynamite. He is an enthusiast in the use of the dynamite in warfare. The elder Sir Hiram, has given more attention to the problem of aerial flight, and his opinion about the future of the airship would be more valuable; but the brothers are equally competent to deal with the subject of the damage that could be done by dropping explosives from airships. There has been much in the public prints recently about the mission of these engines to end war by destroying fleets, armies and cities. The subject lends itself admirably to sensational treatment—admirably in the view of writers who, knowing little about either aeronautics or explosives, and caring less, revel in the horrors they invent. It is a relief to hear from a specialist like Hudson Maxim. In a lecture delivered recently he made short work of the havoc dreaming amateurs. Going right to the point Mr. Maxim said:

"We cannot make a high explosive which shall be so powerful and destructive when employed in aerial bombs as to fulfill the expectations and predictions of the over-sanguine aerial war prophets. Flying machines will never be able to work wide destruction by dropping explosives from the air. Even large quantities of high explosives dropped from an aerial fleet upon battleships, coast fortifications and in the streets of large cities would not be widely destructive. To any one with but a superficial knowledge of the effect of furious bombardments by fleets and armies in no-

table campaigns this assurance will not come as a surprise. The damage done by shells loaded with high explosives has generally been so slight that it was an insignificant factor in determining the course of the assault has been delivered by an enemy in a fixed position, or by warships under slow headgear when not anchored. Mr. Maxim was of the opinion that airships would have little to fear from explosives dropped by airships, and that war vessels, which happened to be struck would seldom be sunk. The casualties afloat and ashore would be inconceivable. He scouted the idea, a favorite one with the sensationalists, that it would be possible for a German 'aerial navy' to destroy London. Said Mr. Maxim:

"Let us assume, for example, that the Germans should build a fleet of a hundred aeroplanes, each capable of carrying one bomb containing a hundred pounds of dynamite, and capable of making one trip a day to London, dropping its dynamite and returning to Berlin for another load, and let us assume that each of those bombs should be capable of destroying, on the average, one building, which is very much more than it could possibly do. Thus this fleet would destroy 100 houses a day, 2,000 a month, 36,000 a year. Now, as there have been about 600,000 houses built in London during the last ten years, or about 60,000 a year, the German aerial dynamite fleet would succeed in destroying a little more than half the houses annually built in London."

It should be understood that Mr. Hudson Maxim is a believer in the airship as an auxiliary and auxiliary of armies and navies; in fact, he sees a brilliant future for airships, provided that inventors overcome their "tenderness" in wind and rain and contrive some means of controlling their flight automatically. We fancy that he is more sanguine about the development of the airship than are some of the capable aeronauts themselves. At any rate, he can be accepted as an authority upon the airship as a death dealing ruin making engine of war, and the visionaries will have to reckon with his sober judgment in future.—N. Y. Sun.

CALIFORNIA'S FIRST PAPER

There was sold in this city the other day, says the New York Sun, a copy of California's first newspaper, the Monterey Californian. It was dated December 19, 1846, was crudely printed, had four pages, 8 1/4 by 12 inches, and was half in Spanish and half in English. The paper owed its start to Commodore Stockton, who succeeded Commodore Sloat in command of the Pacific squadron after Sloat had hoisted the United States flag at Monterey on July 7, 1846. Upon looking over the property of the defunct Mexican government there was discovered an old font of long primer type and a Ramage press, which had been used since 1834 to do the official printing of the Mexican government in California. Commodore Stockton hauled this equipment out and began the publication of a paper. Paper being scarce, anything that could be used to print upon was pressed into service, and each edition usually had many different kinds of paper.

Doings in the Field of Science

Dr. F. A. Cook has decided to submit to American scientific and geographic organizations duplicates of the proofs which are at the University of Copenhagen. A simultaneous announcement is to be made in Denmark and this country as to whether he had furnished adequate proof that he had reached the North Pole.

Ten grammes or about one-third of an ounce of radium chlorides, equivalent to one gramme of pure radium, is the total output for eighteen months of the Joachimsthal mines. After the hospitals and scientific institutions have been supplied, the remainder will be offered for sale at \$75,000 a gramme, or 15 1/2 grains.

Analysis of the natural gas coming from Caucasus wells, which is used for heating purposes, was made by M. Eshat when as to the gas from the Hissar territory. He finds the following composition in per cent: Methane, 54.80; hydrogen, 13.58; saturated carbon, 1.20; nitrogen, 29.42; oxygen, 7; carbonic acid, 3. Another sample gave only 680 hydrogen, 60 methane, and 25 nitrogen, with the rest about the same.

Engineering Notes

Steel manufacture by the electric furnace is making good headway. At the present time there are in operation about eighty furnaces of the electric type, namely, nineteen of the Herault system, fourteen of the Kjellberg, ten of the Stassano, and the same number of the Rothering-Roderhauser and Grol, the other twenty-seven furnaces being of eight other systems.

During the Hudson-Fulton celebration week the Interborough Rapid Transit Company of this city carried in the course of one day 2,269,000 persons without accident, blocks, or other detriment to its service. The traffic was about equally divided between the elevated roads and the subway. Considering the crowded condition this is a truly marvelous feat of city transportation.

At last the Atlantic has been crossed by a steamship at a speed of over 28 knots an hour. The Mauretania on her last trip to the westward having covered the course from land to land in four days, ten hours and fifty-one minutes, at an average of 26.98 knots, reducing her last record trip to the westward by 44 minutes. Although she did not reach her highest previous day's run, she maintained a steady high speed on every day throughout the course.

The tests which are about to be made of the new 14-inch gun at Sandy Hook will be followed with close interest for upon the success of this gun will depend the character of the future armament of our seacoast defenses. The new piece weighs about the same as the present 12-inch gun, but fires a heavier projectile with lower velocity and a greater curve of trajectory. Its great advantage is that it can fire 250 to 300 rounds without serious erosion, as compared with the limit of 50 to 85 rounds for the 12-inch gun.

The Bath Iron Works are to be congratulated on the remarkable speed made by the new torpedo-boat destroyer Reid during her standardization trials on the Rockland mile course, when she reached a maximum speed for one mile of 24.55 knots. This is about a knot faster than the speed, which was itself a record for a torpedo-boat destroyer, of the Flusser, which made over 23 1/2 knots. The mean of the high-speed runs of the Reid was 23.75 knots, which is an eighth of a knot better than the average of the Flusser. The shaft horse-power was 15,000.

The Japanese armored cruiser Ibuli, which is equipped with the Curtis reversible turbine, built by the For River Company, has recently undergone successful steaming trials in Japan. The six-hour trial under full power, the steam-chest pressure was 230 pounds, and the exhaust shell vacuum was 25.7 inches. At 250.5 revolutions per minute the brake horse-power was 27,142 and the water rate per brake horse-power was 16.03; corrected to contract conditions, it was 13.88 pounds. The Ibuli carries four 12-inch and eight 8-inch guns.—Scientific American.

NEW YORK CONTRASTS

"I shall leave New York with a terrible impression of the misery and poverty of this place. I shall be glad to get back to Oklahoma, where there is more of human happiness than elsewhere in the United States."

Kate Bernard, one of the most successful women in public life in the country, the head of the penal institutions of the new Western State, gave her views of life in New York as she sat in the Green-White Settlement house, tucked away among the tenements packed with misery in the lower West side. Miss Bernard has been living among the poor of New York for a week, and is to live with settlement workers until another week to study the problems of humanity as they exist in an overcrowded city.

"I have not overlooked anything either in the East side or in the West side," she said. "I have seen families living ten feet underground without a ray of sunlight touching their abiding places. In one place in Monroe street we found the conditions so revolting that no one would be warranted in describing them. The misery of the poor in this city is enough to shake the soul of any thinking human. And I have seen the rich side too, and have come to believe that the price of the New York millionaire is the dreadful misery and poverty of the East side. Some of you here believe that money is happiness. We don't have that belief in Oklahoma. Happiness comes with an understanding of humanity and an appreciation of our fellow human beings."

"New York is a city of great contrasts—of stupendous wealth and unparalleled poverty. It impresses one most as a city of great sorrow. From a woman's viewpoint, it is a most badly governed household, in which the strong child is permitted to prey upon the weak, in which Johnny wears diamonds and Willie starves. From Fifth avenue to Cherry Hill, the Gap and Lung block, is a long stretch, and something must be done, lest in the gulf which lies between a cat-dogdom occur that will shake the nation."—New York Journal.

34,600 LONDON LANDLORDS

The London County Council has spent a decade in preparing a ground plan of London showing the owners of the land. This is nearly completed.

It shows that 34,600 landlords own land covering 113 square miles, these being mostly single house dwellings. Sixty square miles are owned by 137 persons, organizations and corporations. One-third of this area belongs to the crown, the ecclesiastical commissioners, the County Council and the city corporation.

It is estimated that the present value of the land on which London is built is \$3,000,000,000, which will be increased to \$3,175,000,000 by 1930.—New York Times.

'Modernism'--Echo Ferrer Tragedy

One of the most disquieting features of the Ferrer tragedy is the suspicion, which is widespread and not without some plausible appearance of foundation though we must hope that the foundation is not real, that that distinguished educator was a victim of the clerical opposition to what is known as "Modernism" in teaching. It is indisputable that

Humorous Snapshots

"Not dressed yet?" he cried in mild surprise as he entered his wife's boudoir. "No," she snapped. "They're never sent my dress, and I've literally nothing I can wear. I can't possibly go to the horse show. What on earth can I do?"

He pondered a moment, until an idea struck him. "You might—you might take a bath," he suggested.

And yet they say some husbands never think of their wives.—London Sporting Times.

"Mary," said the mistress, addressing her new servant, "turn the flapjacks, quick!"

Hurrying to the sizzling pan, the servant did so.

"That was well done, Mary; you didn't break one of them. Stop! why are you turning them over again?"

"They are one good turn deserves another, mum!"—Judge.

Nevezance—"Do you know, young man, that five out of six people who suffer from heart trouble have brought it upon themselves through the filthy habit of smoking?"

Karmley—"Really! And possibly you are aware that nine out of ten people who suffer from black eyes can trace the complaint to a habit of not minding their own business."—Pearson's Weekly.

"My motto," said the young physician, "is 'Be sure you are right and then go ahead.'"

"And mine," rejoined the old doctor, "is 'When in doubt, perform an operation.'"—Wasp.

Miss Passaght—I have had my picture taken once every year since I was ten.

Miss Youngblood—Oh, do let me see one of those old daguerotypes. They're so quaint.—Boston Transcript.

Mr. Ferrer was a "modernist." He was the head of an institution of learning which was called the Modern School, and he was an avowed exponent and advocate of "modernism." It is also indisputable that the present Spanish Ministry is intensely hostile to "modernism," its head, Mr. Maura, actually priding himself upon his reactionary principles.

Now, "modernism" is not a crime, even if some criminals profess it. It is nothing more than freedom of thought, Galileo, insisting that the world moved and Columbus, proclaiming the possibility of circumnavigation of the globe, were "modernists" in their times. Mr. Ferrer urged that education should be secular, as all public education is in this country, and that modern studies and methods of study should be pursued in Spanish schools. There was surely no crime in that, though we can understand how objectionable and offensive it was to Mr. Maura and his ultra-clerical associates. Nor did the fact that socialists, anarchists and other "unfortunate citizens" embraced Mr. Ferrer's educational ideas make those ideas evil. It is said that the devil can quote Scripture, but that is no reduction upon the Scriptures.

We cannot believe that even the present reactionary government of Spain would be so fatuous and so wicked as deliberately to make a martyr to free thought and to put such a man as Mr. Ferrer to death for no other reason than his "modernism." If it had done so it would be guilty of one of the most foolish crimes and most criminal follies of the age. It must be that there were other reasons for its action. In that case, for its own sake and for the sake of humanity, it is to be hoped that it will specify what those reasons known so clearly that the world will be convinced of their sufficiency and justice.—N. Y. Tribune.

Peculiar Superstitions

The people of Kulu are extremely superstitious and go in extensively for demonology. Many trees are held to be sacred and have tiny temples dedicated to them. The demons are popularly supposed to live at the tops of trees, and if a tree falls in such a way that it is possible to pass under it, as is often the case on the mountain sides, every man before going beneath the trunk will place on it a stick or stone to propitiate its guardian spirit. Certain streams are also sacred and no one is allowed to wash dirty clothes in them. During 1908 some strangers came into the valley and happened to pollute the water of a river in this manner. It chanced to be a year of extraordinary rainfall, and the people implicitly believe that the excessive rain was sent by the outraged "deities" of the stream as punishment.—Wild World Magazine.

Progress on the Panama Canal

The monthly report of the acting chairman of the Panama Canal to the Secretary of War, dated September 15, states that during the month of August the total amount of excavation done on the Panama Canal was 2,755,178 cubic yards, the average rainfall being 9.27 inches. From now on there may be a diminution in the totals of excavation, due to the fact that portions of the canal have been finished and that as the excavation grows deeper the number of shovels that can be employed will be reduced.

NEW THINGS About ELECTRICITY

The Postmaster-General of the United Kingdom has secured for the government telegraphic system all the Marconi wireless telegraph stations in the British Isles.

A new combined electric lamp and shaving mirror has been produced, in which the reflector can be arranged to throw the light only upon the face below the eye, no light falling upon the mirror or the eyes.

The British Antarctic expedition now in course of preparation will carry wireless telegraphic equipment sufficient to enable messages to be sent to New Zealand from the ship and from stations established at bases of supplies on land or ice.

The Russian crown steel works at Ekaterin in the Ural district have secured the right to manufacture steel electrically by a process owned by a German company and using induction furnaces. An electric plant will be immediately installed by the Siemens-Halske Company, and the works will be marketed shortly.

The electrified suburban system of New South Wales State Railways, which at Sydney, New South Wales, showed a profit of \$207,000 for the year ending June 30, 1909, after paying all working expenses and interest on capital, as compared with a net loss of \$15,500 a year for the steam lines owned by the State. This encouraging result will probably cause extensive electrification in Victoria and other adjoining states.

The Commonwealth Edison Company of Chicago has been most successful with its plan of introducing electric lighting. Ten thousand 8-ampere incandescent lamps have been distributed up to March last on loan for six months without charge. At the end of that period the lamps were offered for sale at a reduced rate to the most of whom were only too glad to return the lamps at so low a price, while the demand for used lamps returned has been greater than the company can supply.

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Twenty Years Ago in Oakland

Exhibits by the State Floral Society are now being made in the city. Many fine plants can be seen.

Full investigation into the charges that Street Superintendent Campbell withheld the pay of city employees and used it for his own purposes is to be made by the Alameda city government. A score of witnesses, all city employees, der Campbell, have been subpoenaed to appear before the streets committee of the city council.

James Corrigan, a tramp, is in the post house with mailboxes, as a result of stealing some clothing from an institution of the same kind at Stockton. Corrigan raided the wardrobe of the post house there, stealing clothing which belonged to two mailbox patients. He became infected and may die as a result.

It has been raining continuously in Oakland for the past five days and the weather bureau says the same conditions will probably prevail for at least four more days to come.

Hired Man—Shooting at airship? Farmer—Yes; trying to bring down sample to test farmer's hat.—Puck.

THE MEDDLER



MISS ETHEL OSTRANDER.

—Scharz Photo.

has, for years, had charge of the work. Camellia blooms and great violet beds have been for years characteristic of the grounds of Arbor Villa, and the many arbors, from which the place takes its name, remind one of the gardens of the old world.

THE GARDEN AT WICKHAM HAVENS HOME.

For a new garden nothing could be as fascinating as the wonderful bloom of the garden of the Wickham Havens. It is quite like an Italian garden, following the long slope of the hills, in a series of terraces, arranged with charming effect. A good point about the garden is that there is not too much lawn—just masses of magnificent bloom—growing in wonderful fashion against the hill slopes. And the lovely paths wind their way through the fragrant bloom of the flowers till they end at a miniature lake, on whose calm bosom repose the loveliest pond lilies, and the banks, too, are lined with wonderful specimens of rare water lilies. The beds of iris are truly wonderful, and the La France roses represent a bloom unequalled on the coast.

THE P. E. BOWLES IN THEIR NEW HOME.

The P. E. Bowles are now occupying their new home, but for many months, and long before it was commenced, the grounds have been trained into the loveliest of gardens.

MANY INTERESTING HOMES IN OAKLAND.

From many countries and from far over the seas have come shrubs and plants, and bulbs, and seeds until the great garden is a wonderful wilderness of bloom. "Palm Knoll," Senator Perkins' home, has lived up to its name, in the great palms, which grace the grounds and represent the growth of years.

"Roselawn" is the name of the Charles Butters' suburban home, a name bestowed upon it years ago, when it was the home of the Amstrongs, and their roses were the loveliest in all the county.

A splendid avenue of trees leading to the house is an attractive feature of the grounds surrounding the C. C. Clay home, and some of the oldest gardens in the city are in Fruitvale, surrounding the homes of the Sanborns, the Wellmans, the Hushes, the Hunkleys, the Derbys and the Wetherbys.

The most spacious grounds in all that part of the city are those that surround the picturesque home of the Springs. The grounds extend for some blocks and represent a wonderful growth of trees and flowers.

Where the women of a household pay much attention to gardening the grounds take on an individual

character that is truly charming. They respond in an unique and original way to this personal care. And among gardens of that kind stands out that of the R. G. Browns on Jackson street, for the daughters of the family love every flower that blooms, and spend many days each year in loving care of their garden.

Other interesting gardens look up at one from around the homes of the Eversons, the Frank Browns, the A. A. Moores, the Soules, the Horry Meeks, the Will Meeks, the Huffs, the Hellmans and the John Smiths.

For two of our gardens level sun dials are planned, and truly their quaint inscriptions send many a wonderful message down the ages. For the sun dial is wise, and lives long, long after the one who has planned it has gone on his way.

One of the most famous gardens in the world is in Saratoga, New York, and the old sun dial there is a stern taskmaster, for he says to everyone: "Begone about your business." We might, with profit, copy some old English inscriptions for our gardens, if not on our sun dials, then on our gateways, and in our summer houses and arbors. One quaint inscription says:

"Hours fly, flowers die;

New days, new ways

Pass by.

Love stays"

And another is devoted to old Father Time, and one reads of him:

"Time is

Too slow for those who wait,
Too swift for those who fear,
Too long for those who grieve,
Too short for those who rejoice,
But for those who love
Time is Eternity."

And, after all, if our flowers teach us to find love in life, our gardens will have taught us the lesson of all the ages.

MRS. FRANK HAVENS STILL IN THE EAST.

Mrs. Frank C. Havens has again postponed her departure from the East, and is not planning to return to California until the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Havens is here for a few days on business. Meantime their home at Piedmont is being entirely reconstructed. Most of it has been pulled down and the great living room, which was fifty feet long, is to be made larger still, and other necessary changes are to be made.

The reconstruction is so extensive that it will be almost a new house, and one of the largest and most artistic of the many new homes in the lower Berkeley foothills.

MR. AND MRS. EDWARD WALSH ARE HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walsh are home again, having spent an interest-

ing summer and autumn in travel. After Mr. Walsh's return from the Hawaiian Islands they made an interesting trip to Yellowstone Park.

Doctor and Mrs. Lohse are spending this month in touring Switzerland. Doctor Lohse having a vacation time just now. He has finished the course he planned to take in Vienna, and they are going on to Berlin, where Doctor Lohse will again devote himself to study.

Early in the spring Mr. and Mrs. Walsh are planning to go abroad, and they will return to America with Doctor and Mrs. Lohse.

PUSHING FORWARD INTO THE WORLD OF ART.

Many well-known Oakland people are pushing forward into the world of art and letters with a success that is most pleasing to their old friends here.

George Sterling has just completed "Duandun," a descriptive sea-shore poem of over two hundred lines. One hears that it is marked by splendid sea descriptions, and that it represents the exquisite beauty and careful finish which has characterized all of Mr. Sterling's work. Mr. and Mrs. Sterling are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack London on a cruise on the San Joaquin and around the marshes of Suisun. They are to spend a month in the cruise, in which one of the pastimes will be duck hunting.

Mrs. Harrison C. Lewis (Margaret Cameron) has written a story, the background of which is sketched in South America, where Mr. and Mrs. Lewis have spent many months in travel.

Arthur North is doing specially good literary work, and his story in the current Sunset is being accorded much praise.

INTERESTING WEDDING OF THE WEEK.

One of the most interesting weddings of the week took place very quietly in San Francisco, that of Mr. John Griswold and Helene Robson. Mr. Griswold is a very wealthy stock broker of New York, a man very well and most favorably known in business circles there.

Mrs. Griswold, who was Helene Robson, is most attractive, having traveled extensively abroad and in the Orient, and she has many friends on this side of the bay, among whom are the Bartons and the Charles Bates.

After the fire the Robsons lived for many months at Berkeley, and many congratulatory messages from prominent families of that city and Oakland have been sent to the bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Griswold left for the East immediately after their marriage, and their future home will be in New York City.

ATTRACTIVE NEW PIEDMONT HOME.

Among the most attractive of the new Piedmont homes will be the one now being erected for the Willis F. Kelleys. It is directly opposite the Wickham Havens residence, and has an exceedingly fine hill view.

General and Mrs. Oscar F. Long

have not yet moved into their new home, but they expect to be in it before the Christmas holidays. It represents one of the finest architectural designs to be found among the new Oakland homes. It is built of brick, and it is dignified and imposing. Its proportions are finely planned, and the result is a structure very pleasing and restful, and an architectural design showing much that is harmonious.

MRS. CHENEY'S ADDRESS AT MRS. HAVENS' HOME.

One of the very notable gatherings of the week was that held on Tuesday at the residence of Mrs. Wickham Havens, the guests assembling to listen to an address by Mrs. Vance Cheney of New York City.

Mrs. Cheney is probably one of the best-known women in America, and she certainly deserves any distinction that has come her way. Mrs. Cheney is president of an international organization which teaches elementary principles of right thinking and right living. It teaches mind control, a fine thing indeed, since one's happiness depends so largely on the state of one's mind.

And one of the best things that may be said concerning this work is that it does not interfere with one's well-established religious beliefs. It is simply a helpful addition to any creed.

The meeting was held in the attractive ball room of the Wickham Havens home, which presented a really lovely picture. One cannot help looking one's best in such a beautiful room, with its delightful panels in dainty rose pink. And where could a more stunning quartette be found than is made up of Mrs. Cheney, Mrs. Edward Engs, Mrs. Harold Havens, and Mrs. Wickham Havens? They each represent a very striking type and they made a notable picture in the lovely ball room with its background of old rose.

Mrs. Cheney is an exceedingly handsome woman, with much poise and with gracious manners. She has much dignity and carries herself so superbly that she interests one long before she begins her address. She made a most charming study on Tuesday, beautifully gowned in white broadcloth, the costume completed by a hat in tones of old rose.

Mrs. Cheney is a most successful speaker, and her English is so perfectly chosen that it is most delightful. She speaks in impromptu fashion, and her addresses are full of wit, of a certain quiet humor, and underlying it all is the message she has to tell. One can see how much a message like that might mean in some women's lives. Indeed, it is a far cry from the women of the old days, with their fainting at trifles, with their uncontrolled fits of hysteria, to the well-balanced woman of today, who has learned how to rise above conditions, how to subdue circumstances, how to be courageous and noble, how to create an atmosphere for herself and for her dear ones that shall be full of hopefulness.

Mrs. Cheney's mission is to show

the way, and truly it would be hard to find a teacher who has established nobler standards.

Mrs. Cheney gives three lectures next week, which will be of the greatest importance, and they will be given at the home of Mrs. Wickham Havens.

Mrs. Cheney is planning to leave for the East in November, and before long she will go abroad, her work calling her to London and to other large European cities.

Among Mrs. Havens' guests on Tuesday were: Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld, Miss Nicholson, Miss Carrie Nicholson, Mrs. Isaac Upham, Mrs. John Brittain, Mrs. Frederick Morse, Mrs. Harry Maxwell, Miss Gladys Maxwell, Miss Louise Mahoney, Mrs. Willis F. Kelley, Mrs. A. D. Thomson, Miss Mollie Conners, Mrs. Pemberley, Mrs. J. Loran Pease, Mrs. George Gross, Mrs. Clifton Kroll, Mrs. Masvals, Mrs. Frank Watson.

Any one interested in Mrs. Cheney's work is at liberty to send a communication to her at her daughter's, Mrs. Harold Havens, home, at Piedmont.

FIRST DANCE OF THE JUNIOR ASSEMBLY.

The first dance of the Junior Assembly took place last night, and the patronesses are very much pleased at the responses to their invitations. They have had more acceptances than last year, and the finances are in splendid condition.

Naturally the good patronesses, having taken so much trouble, are greatly pleased, and the young people under their charge are anticipating good times equal to those of last winter. For one thing, the Junior Assembly has the entire approbation of all the mothers, even the most conservative. And the best mothers are of course very careful about their young daughters, about whom they will meet, with whom they will dance, and they approve thoroughly of the Junior Assembly, for which the patronesses have formulated such stringent rules.

They will not change them; that is settled, and the young people who cannot respect the rules and obey them need not attend the assemblies. Evidently there are enough who approve of the stringent rules, for the list of acceptances is larger than last year, and really obedience to well established rules is something our young people should learn as early in life as possible.

At the Junior Assembly the young people arrive early, and the dances are over early, for it must be remembered that the members of the Junior Assembly are students in our secondary schools. When they graduate from the Junior Assembly they are members of the Friday Night Club, and the patronesses of both clubs are in perfect accord with their lists.

The chaperons of the Junior Assembly have arranged all the many details of the dances with much care. The music last night was inspiring, and a dainty supper was provided for the young dancers.

A bright surprise was on the cards for them, for the young men of

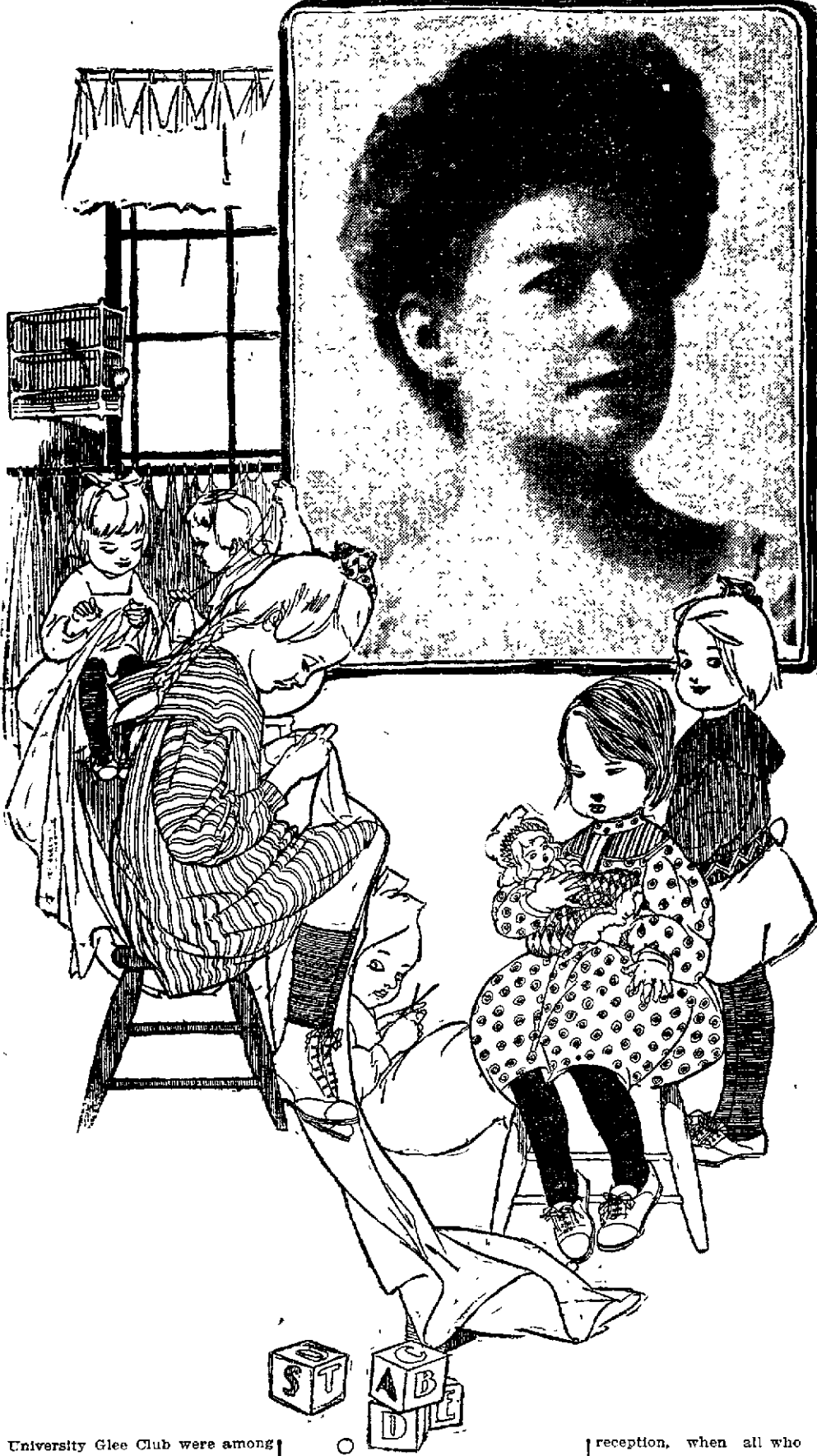
SOCIETY NEWS of the WEEK

MISS CAROLYN PALMANTEER.

—Scharz Photo.

MRS. C. C. BOYNTON AND YOUNG FAMILY.

—Webster Photo.



The University Glee Club were among the Junior Assembly guests, and they sang several numbers during the intermission. There is nothing like jolly college glees to add brightness to an evening, so the merry choruses are greatly appreciated by the young people. Mrs. Selby is still in New York, and will not be present at the dances, but the other patronesses who have achieved such a signal success, and who championed the young people are Mrs. N. A. Acker, Mrs. Frank Adams, Mrs. W. Arnes Jr., Mrs. Sam Breck, Mrs. Arthur Crellin, Mrs. Cockcroft, Mrs. W. E. Sharon, Mrs. Edgar Stone, Mrs. J. R. Sempham, Mrs. Charles Wetmore.

THE MISSES KALES TO GIVE A TEA

Another Friday date is the tea to be given by the Misses Kales, in honor of two of the brides-elect of the season, Miss Ruth Houghton and Miss Arline Johnson. Miss Rose Kales is to be an attendant at the wedding of her friends, and Miss Houghton has recently made known her wedding party.

The matrons of honor are to be Mrs. White and Mrs. Chickering, the maid of honor Miss Hall of Honolulu, and the bridesmaids Miss Kales and Miss Henshaw.

The receiving party at the tea of the Misses Kales will be made up of the attendants at the weddings, and the guests at the "at home" will be made up mostly of the young brides-elect. The reception bids fair to be, in many ways, one of the delightful social dates of the week.

MRS. ANDREW MOSELEY GIVES BRIDGE PARTY.

Among the very delightful hostesses of the week was Mrs. Andrew Moseley, who entertained at "bridge" at her home on Madison street. Mrs. Moseley has a very charming home on Madison street and she is planning to give this winter a series of bridge parties, which is a most effective way of entertaining one's friends who play cards.

Mrs. Moseley is a member of the Monday Afternoon Club, which numbers among its members some of the best players on this side of the bay. Mrs. Moseley entertained her guests in a most happy, fashion, and the

card game was followed by elaborate refreshments. Among the good players of the afternoon were Mrs. Robert Knight, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. Frank L. Brown, Mrs. William White, Mrs. Harry Gordon, Mrs. Ernest Folger, Mrs. Kales and Mrs. Frederick Stratton.

PERSIAN SCHOLAR MAKES ADDRESSES.

Mirza Ali Kull Khan, the Persian scholar, has been giving some very interesting addresses on our side of the bay this week. He spent the summer at Carmel by the Sea, and is most enthusiastic over California's future, especially in all the possibilities that lie for her in the world of art and literature.

Mirza Khan is the Persian Consul at Washington, not the Persian Minister, as is so often stated.

On Wednesday evening he was the guest at Berkeley of Doctor and Mrs. Allen, who invited to their home on Webster street, in Berkeley, a large number of friends to meet the Eastern lecturer.

He is one of the finest speakers now in the lecture field, as he chooses subjects with which he is most familiar, and his English is along very perfect lines. Each word seems specially well chosen, and really when we hear how well foreigners speak our language it makes us feel that without half trying we might speak it a very great deal better ourselves.

The friends of Doctor and Mrs. Allen enjoyed a delightful evening, the address of the hour being followed by an enjoyable reception to the Persian guest of honor.

MRS. EDWIN GOODALL INVITES FRIENDS.

Mrs. Edwin Goodall and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Cooper, also invited the friends interested in Mirza Khan's work to their home on Jackson street on Thursday afternoon. It is one of the most artistic homes in the Lakeside District, and offers always a charming environment for anything given in a social way, or to promote literary effort.

A large number of friends assembled at the Goodall home on Thursday and listened to the thoughtful and eloquent address given by Mr. Khan. At its close there was an informal

reception, when all who wished to meet personally this well-known scholar from the far east were given the opportunity to do so.

The afternoon at the Goodall home was most informal and probably on that account all the more enjoyable.

MR. AND MRS. J. WALTER SCOTT PLAN UNIQUE EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Scott have planned a most unique evening for their friends and they will entertain them on Friday evening in a delightful way at Ebell Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott have taken the greatest interest in the Hawaiian musicians, who were such a feature of the recent Seattle Exposition. These talented Island singers and players are now in San Francisco, en route to their home in the Islands, and the Scotts planned at first to have them in their East Oakland home.

But the Scotts are most generous people, and they live up always to the traditions of hospitality which surround their home. And the latter, large as it is, was too small to entertain the many friends whom they wished to compliment. So they will entertain the latter on Friday evening at Ebell Hall, the beautiful music of the Hawaiian musicians affording one phase of the entertainment. There will be dancing for the young people, and the real good time generally to which one always looks forward, when there are such truly generous and delightful entertainers as Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Scott.

BRIGHT PLAYER AT YE LIBERTY.

Among the very bright members of the company now on Ye Liberty stage is Mr. Hal Angus, who recently joined the band of players who are doing such good work. Mr. Angus is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Angus, very prominent people of our county. Mr. Angus is a very successful lawyer of San Francisco, with large business interests, and Mrs. Angus is very well known in club work and in social circles both in Oakland and in the country.

The family home has been for some years at "Brookside," near Hayward, the home which was built for Ethel Meek when she married Albert Sutton. Mr. and Mrs. Angus are building a

handsome new home at Hayward, and they hope to be comfortably installed in it before the Christmas holidays.

Their son, Mr. Hal Angus, is an exceedingly fine fellow, a good type of the young American, who comes from a good home, from a good family—who has ambitions and who is willing to work hard that they may be realized.

Mr. Angus has taken part in many charity affairs, with much success, and after due deliberation he has now decided to take up the stage as a profession. He is making the real beginning at Ye Liberty Theater, and his friends everywhere are sending him way so many good wishes that he is receiving his due meed of praise, and an encouragement in the beginning of his career that must count for a great deal. He is sure to succeed—but one wishes for him even more than that—one wishes that he may steadily climb to the top of the ladder; that he may achieve that success which is sometimes the reward of genius.

MRS. EDWARD BRAYTON IS TO ENTERTAIN.

Mrs. Edward Lacey Brayton is to be the hostess at an informal gathering in honor of her niece, Miss Ernestine McNear, who leaves in the near future for Farmington, where she will spend the coming year in school.

There has never been the least intention that Miss Ernestine McNear should make her debut this winter. She is a very young girl indeed—a young school girl—and even next winter she would be quite the youngest of any of the debutantes of many seasons.

Mrs. Brayton will entertain the many young relatives of the family and other young friends in a farewell gathering for charming little Miss McNear.

NEXT WEEK BIDS FAIR TO BE STENOUS.

Next week bids fair to be a strenuous one in a social way, since many important dates are on the social calendar.

On Tuesday Mrs. Harold Havens gives an "at home" in honor of her mother, Mrs. Vance Cheney, and in the evening two dates are scheduled—the "golden wedding" at the McNear home and the Fabiola benefit at Ye Liberty Theater.

On Thursday Miss Elsie Campbell gives a tea in honor of Miss Ruby Richards, and she has sent out cards to a large number of her young friends.

On Thursday also Mrs. John Pyne Neville is to entertain at a large "bridge" party, and on Friday evening Mrs. Alexander Campbell is to entertain at a reception in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Neustadt.

There are always to be reckoned with, also, the various card clubs, and the women's clubs, all of which lend themselves to social dates of interest.

NUMBER OF DINNERS ARE GIVEN.

A number of dinners were given last evening, when many of the young people entertained as they did last year before the dances.

Bright Allene Edoff, the charming young daughter of Mr. J. P. Edoff, gave one of the more important of

the dinners, entertaining a number of young people at her home.

After the dinner the guests and their young hostess adjourned to Maple Hall for the Assembly dance.

FABIOLA DATE IS AN INTERESTING ONE.

A Fabiola date always means an important social affair, for many prominent women have been for years associated in Fabiola work, and the success of the hospital is always very dear to their hearts. For many years we have been accustomed to see the largest audiences of any season at a Fabiola benefit, and its affairs, dramatic or social, usually score the success of the season. So it is safe to say that Ye Liberty playhouse will present a brilliant picture on Tuesday evening, since the seats have been for the most part reserved by well-known people, among whom are:

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Searles, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Taft, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Everson, the Misses Everson, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. George Hammer, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clay, Mr. and Mrs. George Greenwood, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Mr. and Mrs. Edison Adams, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitzgerard, Mr. and Mrs. Moylan Fox, Judge and Mrs. Yule, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Abbott, Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knight, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dieckmann, Mrs. Katherine Dunn, Mrs. Isaac Requa, Mrs. Edward Romillard, Mrs. W. W. Standerford, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barton, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dunning, Mr. and Mrs. Q. A. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. George Dornin, Miss Dornin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William White, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mathes, Mr. and Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Engs, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Havens, Mrs. Vance Cheney, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. De Young, Mr. and Mrs. George Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tobin, Mrs. C. F. Macdermot, the Misses Sanborn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Parcells, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chanslor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fore, Mr. and Mrs. James K. Moffitt, Mr. and Mrs. George Cope, Mrs. J. C. McMullin, Mr. and Mrs. Max Taft, Miss Chrissie Taft—but one might go on with a long list of people, for one hears that the house is practically sold out, and that most of our prominent families are to be represented in the audience.

The players deserve a chapter all to themselves, for one hears that they have worked hard, and the rehearsals given on the Idora Park stage have been most successful. Among the players from San Francisco are to be Mrs. Worthington Ames, Miss Merritt Reid, Kathleen De Young, Mrs. Joseph Tobin, Gayle Anderson, Du Val Moore, Frank Hooper, Harold Blingham, Miss Enid Gregg.

Among the Oakland people taking part are Willard Barton, Hal Allen, Harold Baxter, Ralph McCormick, Dr. Percy Gaskill, Joe Rosborough, Frank Proctor, Mrs. Dinmore, Mrs. William White, Miss Fore, Miss McMullin, Miss Mathes, Mrs. Frank Proctor, Lowell Redfield, Mrs. Lowell Redfield, Miss George Cope, Miss Ruth Thompson, Miss Helen Ostrander, Miss Sevilla Hayden, Miss Katherine Sullivan, Miss Grace Faxon, Miss Hattie Gray, Miss

Edith Warner, Miss Gertrude Bell, Miss Florence Camp, Miss Helen Madden, Earl Barton, and Mr. Phillips.

Miss Georgia Cope has achieved much in presenting "A Pagoda of Flowers," the scenic effects of which are specially fine. And the vaudeville bids fair to give us thirty minutes of good unalloyed fun. So great things may reasonably be expected from the charity entertainment on Tuesday evening.

MRS. FRED A. HOOPER VISITING HER PARENTS.

Mrs. Fred A. Hooper and her daughter Ruth have gone to Mendocino county for two or three weeks, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Hooper's parents. Mrs. Hooper is a charming hostess and has scores of friends.

PICTURES IN THE MEDDLER TODAY.

Miss Carolyn Palmanter whose picture is presented today is the eldest daughter of the late W. G. Palmanter and Mrs. Palmanter of Madison street. Her engagement to Frederic Snowden was one of the recent interesting announcements. The wedding is to be solemnized in January at the beautiful Palmanter home. Miss Palmanter is a girl of unusual charm and refinement and has a large circle of sincere friends who have been overwhelming her fiancé with congratulations since the happy announcement was made.

An interesting picture today is that of Mrs. C. C. Boynton, who is surrounded by her interesting family.

Mrs. Boynton is a woman of culture and has a social prestige in the bay region.

She gave a most interesting paper before the California club this past week which was delightfully original.

Mrs. P. C. Stoddart is a prominent Berkeley matron, whose social affairs are always delightfully enjoyed. She was the gracious presiding hostess at the October luncheon given by the Oakland club.

Miss Ethel Ostrander is a member of the younger Berkeley set and is gifted with a beautifully cultivated voice. She added much to the pleasure of the Oakland club members and their friends by her excellently rendered group of songs on Wednesday afternoon. Miss Ostrander is one of the prominent members of the Eurydice Club.

MRS. CAMPBELL TO BE HOSTESS.

Mrs. Alexander Campbell is to be hostess at an important social affair of next week, entertaining at her home at a reception in honor of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Neustadt.

Mrs. Neustadt was formerly Sofia Newland, one of California's sweetest singers, and many of us remember when she went abroad to study music. There she met Mr. Neustadt, who was of the University of Edinburgh, and California did not see her again for many years.

The Neustadts had a delightful home in Edinburgh, which was a center around which gathered many friends worth while. Edinburgh is a university center, and that always means that one meets people of distinction, and many of them were often

to be met with in the home of the Neustadts. Their winters were passed in Scotland, and their summers on the continent, and Mrs. Neustadt always kept up her musical studies wherever she happened to be. Her concert work in Edinburgh and in London called out the highest praise from the best musical critics of these large cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Neustadt are planning to make their permanent home in California, and Mrs. Campbell is planning the reception that they may meet many old family friends.

MRS. NEVILLE TO GIVE BRIDGE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Neville, who have spent some months at the Claremont Country Club, recently moved into the picturesque residence built near the club by Mr. Frank M. Willson. They are very comfortably established and Mrs. Neville is planning a series of entertainments for her friends. The first of the series will be an afternoon "at bridge" to be given on next Thursday, the afternoon to represent one of the most important social dates of the week.

Mrs. Neville comes from one of the leading families of St. Louis, and is a well-bred, gracious hostess, one who knows how to plan a genuine welcome for her friends.

MR. AND MRS. MILLER TO RECEIVE FRIENDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Miller are to entertain at one of the large dinners of the week, having invited fourteen guests for Saturday evening. The dinner is in the nature of a family reunion, since it brings together those who lived out girlhood days at Arbor Villa.

Many of us remember the young girls who made life very bright there, among whom were Marian Smith, Grace Sperry, Evelyn Ellis, Florence Nightingale, May Burdge and Winifred Burdge.

May Burdge is now Mrs. Bernard Miller, and the attractive new home of the Millers is not very far from Arbor Villa.

Among the guests on Saturday evening will be Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Oliver, Miss Sperry, Miss Ellis.

And so the social round goes on. Days come and fade into the past—and one looks forward into the future, confident of the good times there to be found, sure of the good fortune, which stands smiling at the threshold ever beckoning us on!

GALA EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

The important social events of the week have been so many that one can but touch on a few of them. Every day of the really brilliant Portola week has been crowded with enjoyable affairs and society has been busier than for many moons. It was a strenuous way in which to begin the social season—to plunge at once into such a vortex of gaiety.

One of the charming affairs of the end of last week to which, however, a touch of Portola festivity was given by the presence of Miss Virginia

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HEART--TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN--HOME

Weds Sunday; Dies Monday

PHILADELPHIA.—A deathbed bride, Mrs. Claude Sellers, formerly Miss Bertie Steeple, returned to her home here today after attending her husband's funeral in New York yesterday.

Sellers was last in this city about a week ago, when he returned to New York apparently in the best of health. On Sunday he was taken ill of pneumonia. His condition became rapidly worse and Sunday he demanded that his sweetheart be summoned to his bedside. They were to have been married in this city on Wednesday of next week, but, considering his condition, Sellers asked the girl if she would marry him then. Miss Steeple consented.

The ceremony was performed with the bridegroom unable to raise his head from the pillow. A short time before, according to Mrs. Sellers today, her husband had dictated his will, leaving everything to her. Sellers lingered until 11 a. m., Monday.

MRS. LLOYD OSBORNE ANGRY

The bad feeling which has been known to exist for a long time between Mrs. Lloyd Osborne and Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson has at last become so much a thing of public property that he who runs past the quiet old Osborne-Stevenson home on Russian Hill may read all about it. Mrs. Osborne has posted a notice on her house announcing that it is not a convent and furthermore that it never was the property of Robert Louis Stevenson and that he spent elsewhere the years during which he is supposed to have resided there. The Osborne and Stevenson homes are in one building, the Stevenson half of which has passed, through the generosity of Frank J. Sullivan, to the Carmelite nuns. Evidently Mrs. Osborne objects to having her half of the property mistaken for that which formerly belonged to her mother-in-law. I hear also that Mrs. Osborne is furious at Frank Sullivan, first of all because he was the means of installing the convent next door and also because some of the alterations made for the nuns have interfered with her light.—Town Talk.

First Author—Do you ever lose any of the MSS. you send out?
Second Author—No; they all come back.—Judge.

Another Daughter of Copper King Is Wed



MRS. WALTER LEWISOHN.

The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewisohn took place on October 13. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice J. Krause of New York.

Two Claimed Temperance Worker as Their Fiance

PITTSBURGH.—Interest over the disappearance of William C. Lilley, the aged temperance worker and churchman, from the fashionable First Presbyterian congregation, grew today when it became known that there were at least two women in the congregation who had promised to be the brides of the widower. It is said there are others of that sex in the same church who considered themselves highly favored by Lilley, and each had expectations of becoming Mrs. Lilley.

Miss Elizabeth Volk, a prominent member of the Civic Club, formerly a society editor and religious writer for a Pittsburgh paper, appeared today as the "other woman" in the Lilley case. Ada Martin, secretary of the First Presbyterian Church and a teacher in the North Side high school, is the young woman who up until today appeared to have the first right to the affections of the 68-year-old Mr. Lilley, and is the one he was supposed to have intended marrying yesterday.

Miss Volk, at the Civic Club this afternoon, came out plainly with the assertion that Miss Martin was mistaken if she thought herself engaged to Lilley. "Why, Mr. Lilley has been paying me marked attention for the past two years, as all in the church know. I am certain that he was not engaged to Miss Martin. Why, he would be a deceiver if this were so," said Miss Volk. "I do not think it right in the absence of Mr. Lilley to discuss our love affairs, and I will answer no questions."

It became known today that Lilley, who was supposed to be wealthy, has not much money, and through business reverses was recently hard pressed.

Breaks Windows to Go to Jail, but the Judge Won't Send Her

ST. LOUIS.—Mrs. Anna Worowich felt so keenly disappointed when Judge Taylor refused to send her to the Workhouse at her own request that she broke down and wept bitterly in the Court of Criminal Correction. She had pleaded guilty to breaking twenty-five windows in the neighborhood of High and Biddle streets, and through an interpreter had asked the Court to send her to the Workhouse.

"This is the most remarkable case I have ever heard," said Judge Taylor. "Why do you want to go to the Workhouse?"

"To eat," was the reply. "I'm tired of going without food. I refuse to starve."

"Have you no one to support you?" asked the Judge.

"No one but my husband, and he is in jail on a charge of burglary," said Mrs. Worowich.

"Why don't you work? You look strong and healthy." The Judge scrutinized the woman, who weighs at least 175 pounds.

"I can't find anything to do," she said.

Prosecuting Attorney Siderer, then related to Judge Taylor the circumstances of Mrs. Worowich's arrest. She and her husband were arrested a month ago for breaking windows in the Globe Shoe and Clothing Store. They were not prosecuted, as it was believed they were mentally unbalanced. Hospital physicians found no proof of insanity and diagnosed their ailment as chronic laziness.

Later Worowich was arrested for breaking a window in a Ghetto butcher shop and stealing sausages. He was then charged with burglary, and is awaiting trial. Ten days ago Mrs. Worowich broke twenty-five windows in small stores.

"I will not sentence you to the Workhouse," said Judge Taylor after hearing the facts. "You are more to be pitied than punished."

"Do you want me to break more windows?" asked Mrs. Worowich defiantly.

"No, I want you to find work and try to be a good woman," replied the Judge.

As she was leaving the courtroom Mrs. Worowich burst into tears.

Pretty Granddaughter of Great French Actress to Visit Coast



MRS. EDGAR S. GROSS (Nee Mile. Simone Bernhardt).

It is hard to realize that Sarah Bernhardt, the divine Sarah, she of the golden voice, can be old enough to be the grandmother of a grown woman; yet such is the fact, and before long we are likely to hear of her being a great-grandmother! For the daughter of Sarah Bernhardt's son has just been married.

Mile. Simone Bernhardt, daughter of Maurice Bernhardt, was married in September to Edgar Gross of Paris. Her photograph, which is reproduced above, shows her to be a decidedly pretty young woman, in whose face it is difficult to trace any resemblance to her "divine" grandmother.

Mile. Simone Bernhardt's mother came of stock that was distinguished on the stage and in the great world, for her mother, Maurice Bernhardt's wife, was Princess Therese Jablonowski, daughter of Prince Carlo Ladislav Vladimirovich Jablonowski, who married Louise de Mohr, who was the greatest beauty on the Vienna stage when she belonged to the corps de ballet there. Henry Labouchere says she was the most statuesque woman he ever saw.

Simone, her granddaughter, is said by those who knew the elder woman to have inherited the latter's beautiful profile and to have combined with it the physical distinction of her other grandmother, Sarah Bernhardt.

She Climbed to the Top of the Ohio's Mast

NEW YORK.—On the Ohio, the battleship, as she lay off the New York yard, on Tuesday, a woman about 24 years old, whose name could not be learned, but who was addressed as "Lottie," climbed to the top of the Ohio's new style of fire control mast.

The exploit was the first of its kind that has ever been undertaken by a woman on any ship in the navy, so far as is known, and the climb is one that presents difficulties before which any but a trained seaman might well hesitate. The new style of skeleton mast is used on the Ohio, and the narrow steel ladder which leads to the top, 120 feet above, is not designed for the use of women, not even Amazons. It is arranged in zig-zag fashion, crossing from one side of the mast to the other like a series of short ladders placed one on top of the other. To pass from one ladder to the next above it is necessary for the climber to crawl through the lower rung, a feat that is not easy going up, and which presents difficulties coming down, which can be readily appreciated.

The young woman was escorted to the fighting top by William Camp, one of the seamen of the Ohio, and made the journey going and coming with the utmost coolness. She expressed herself as delighted with the view from the fighting top, which is a steel platform twelve feet square, surrounded by a low railing.

On returning to the deck she departed without her identity being learned by the officers of the ship, and the sailor who had done the honors of the occasion was promptly put "on report," which means that he will answer for his hospitality, which, according to his superiors, was unauthorized.

Luncheon for Miss De Sabla

Quite the most elaborate as well as the daintiest of the semi-formal affairs that have been given to herald the debut of the season's buds was Mrs. Clement Tobin's luncheon this week at the Fairmont, to which Mrs. Tobin invited a few of her friends and the buds of last winter to meet Miss Vera de Sabla. Mrs. Tobin, who is likewise an exquisitely fair, with a cream and pink complexion, has the reputation in Paris and the fashionable Alpine resorts of being the most beautiful of all the much-lauded women who annually go abroad to emphasize the fame of Californiennes. One of the fashionable foreign journals recently lauded her artistic taste in gowning herself, and certainly the dress which she brought back a month or so ago, and with which she is delighting her friends, are proof that the praise was not unwarranted. Miss Vera de Sabla resembles her handsome sister as a rose bud resembles the perfect rose. She is very shy, an unusual trait for a California girl, but as she is convent-educated, her reserve is most attractive. At the luncheon this week Mrs. Tobin looked unusually handsome in a gown of black with cachemere, the skirt draped in true washwoman style, while the bodice was a close fitting affair of gold net embroidered in blue iris blossoms. The dainty Miss Vera wore a girlish looking blue printed tunic, made short of skirt, quite full, with a tunic, and the bodice was draped in fichu style, with Irish lace trimmings.—Town Talk.



NE of the pleasant surprises of the day was the announcement of the engagement of Miss Marion Hovey and Charles Wishart Brower.

About forty friends of Miss Hovey were asked to enjoy a game of whist at the Hovey home, Santa Clara avenue, Alameda, this afternoon.

The rooms were charmingly decorated for the occasion with palms, bamboo, yellow chrysanthemums and a profusion of ferns.

Mrs. Hovey and her daughter were assisted in receiving the guests by Mrs. Vere Wendell Hunter, Miss Charlotte Brower and Miss Ethlyn Brower.

The interesting secret was disclosed by the means of the cards, the names being written in the ace of hearts. Although a few friends had guessed the secret, it came as a pleasant surprise to the majority of those present.

Miss Hovey is an active member of the Prelude Club, and is a musician of ability.

Mr. Brower is a native of San Jose, but has made his home in Alameda for the past three or four years. At present he is engaged in business in Bakersfield.

No date is announced as yet for the wedding.

Miss Hovey, who is most popular, will be the inspiration for a procession of complimentary affairs during the weeks to come.

The dining room was especially dainty in its decorations of yellow and green, the lights being covered with delicate yellow shades, which made a pleasant glow over all.

TOLD IN ORIGINAL WAY.

The secret of the engagement of Miss Ruth Williamson and Frank W. Selther was told in a most original manner today. About forty members of the Phi Alpha Kappa Sorority and intimate friends were asked for a game of cards at the Williamson home this afternoon.

The living room was most effectively decorated in scarlet and green, garlands of hearts being festooned about the room. Hearts was the chosen game and the prize winner found enclosed within the package a pretty little poem which she was asked to read. The poem, which was written by Mrs. Edmund Worth, disclosed the pretty secret. At the conclusion of the poem the guests showered the dainty bride-elect with ribbon confetti.

The dining room decorations were of gorgeous yellow chrysanthemums and ferns.

Miss Williamson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Williamson of Piedmont, and an attractive girl of pleasing personality. The marriage will probably be an event of the early summer.

Orchards," the beautiful suburban home of the H. H. Meeks. Yellow chrysanthemums were used most effectively for the decorations throughout the home. Following the discussion of the daintily served luncheon the guests enjoyed an interesting game of bridge.

The guest list included the following coterie of congenial friends: Miss Arline Johnson, Miss Josephine Johnson, Miss Ruth Kyles, Miss Rose Kyles, Miss Madeline Clay, Miss Elsie Schilling, Miss Beatrice Simpson, Mrs. William Thornton, White, Mrs. Ruth Houghton, Mrs. Stewart Hawley, Miss Dorothy Van Sicken, Mrs. F. P. Ralston, Miss Charlotte Hall, Miss May Coogan and Mrs. Boswell King.

First German Woman to Ride in an Aeroplane

Frau Hildenbrandt, like Mrs. Cody and Miss Bacon of England, set a bold example to her sisters in Germany by being the first lady to fly in an aeroplane. In addition to this, she was also Mr. Wright's first pupil in Germany.

Lady Cook Visits Famous Ludlow Street Jail, Where She Was Once Locked Up

NEW YORK.—If only they had not whitewashed Ludlow jail, this story would have a little realism in it to carry the pathos.

Lady Cook, who is suffering in New York, got real sentimental yesterday and wanted to visit the scenes she had once made famous. She thought of her former name (Zenisee Claffin), which she herself had carved in cell No. 11, second tier of the distinguished resort, and asked to be led to it.

It seems that in 1872 Tennessee Claffin and her sister, Victoria Woodhull, were sent to Ludlow jail because they were publishing the Claffin and Woodhull Weekly. Federal authorities called it a harsher name than that, and the women went to jail.

It was said that they were new women with advanced ideas.

As that as it may, Lady Cook got strangely reminiscent and couldn't resist returning to the scene of her early discomfort.

Jail ladies and martyrs are quite popular nowadays anyway, and the call was too much for Lady Cook.

All the way down in her ear she talked to her sympathetic friends of the Ludlow days that are no more. She told them where the little dipper used to hang on the wall, and of the warden who locked and unlocked her cell, of the fried chicken not on the bill of fare, and above all, of the name which she had scratched into a brick to your right just as you enter. It was a thrilling rehearsal and she was leading them along.

They were ever so nice to her at the jail, and although there were none in the cells who recognized the titled woman

who was fitting past, and beyond them, one warden thought he remembered.

And he got a suffrage button for his reward.

It was like the unveiling of a statue or a tablet, so tense was the Ludlow air that blew toward cell 11, tier 2.

Lady Cook made a hasty explanation of her emotion and turned to the wall.

Gone was her name. She scratched through almost an inch of white stuff and gave it up.

Then she went on the steps of dear old Ludlow and spoke encouragingly to the men and women who will come after her in freedom's cause.

Maid Rules Household

CHICAGO.—American families are under the subjection of the maid-of-all-work, according to Dean Sophronia Breckinridge of the University of Chicago, who lectured yesterday on "The Modern Housewife." "The hand that dusters the furniture is the hand that rules the house," Dean Breckinridge believes.

"The modern housewife employs her maid for the purpose of maintaining a respectable appearance more than for services rendered," she said. "Women seem to think they are obliged to have servants whether they need them or not. In the old days before the law the mistress is the superior, but in actual practice the maid holds the reins of the household."

THE MEDDLER

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Bogue, was the delightful house warming given by the University Club to show its charming new home to its friends. Several hundred ladies and gentlemen were present—the men almost entirely University Club members and the women delighted to see for themselves this beautiful new addition to the life of clubdom.

The living-room of the club on the top floor of the building is a magnificent apartment with a plate-glass window which must be twelve feet by twenty, beyond which rolls the beautiful panorama of the inner bay. Inside the window a luxurious Chesterfield invites to admiring exclamations. The room is most artistically furnished. The billiard room is a charming apartment and the dining-room has walls covered in ecorce stuff with a gobelin blue carpet on the floor. All of the apartments were designed for use rather than mere luxury and all are admirably adapted to their purpose. A buffet luncheon was served on Friday and the affair was, in reality, the first large tea of the season. Among those who thronged the spacious rooms one noticed Mr. and Mrs. Dixwell Hewitt, Mrs. Athol McBean, Miss Marion Newhall, Miss Martha Calhoun, Miss Margaret Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deering, Mrs. Cyrus Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baldwin, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Chenery, Mrs. Carter Pomeroy, Miss Christine Pomeroy, Mrs. Russell Selfridge, Mrs. Isabel Baldwin, Miss Nathalie Coffin, Miss Sarah Coffin, Mrs. George Page, Miss Leslie Page, Mrs. M. H. de Young, Mrs. George Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O. Tobin, Mrs. Norman McLaren, Miss Elizabeth Ashe, Mrs. Horatio Livermore, Miss Elizabeth Livermore, Mrs. Gaston Ashe, Dr. and Mrs. Wallace Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin, Mrs. Henry Scott, Mrs. Cyrus Pierce, Mrs. Eleanor Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Olney Jr., Fairfax Whelan, Roydon Williamson, Gale Anderson, Joseph Sadeo Tobin, Mrs. McChesney, Dr. Little Martin, Miss Fidelia Jewett, Miss Ethel Beaver, Mrs. J. G. Klitt,

Jack Kittle, Mrs. Dibblee, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dibblee, Dr. and Mrs. Ebricht, Mr. and Mrs. John Drum, Miss Laura McKinstry, William Thomas, Mrs. Latham McMullin, Mrs. Frederick Kimble, Miss Jeanne Gallois, Mrs. Gallois, Col. George C. Edwards, Miss Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Magee, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bentley, Mrs. William R. Wheeler, Miss Ardella Mills, Miss Mary Keeney and Mrs. Norris Davis.

ENTERTAINING FOR MAUDE FAY.

There has been much entertaining this week in honor of Miss Maude Fay, the San Francisco girl who has become a prima donna and whose popularity in Munich is unsurpassed. Miss Fay is a charming, vivacious woman with a great deal of personality and magnetism and her old friends have been warm in their welcome.

Among the affairs given in her honor during the past week was a dinner on Sunday evening, at which Mr. and Mrs. M. H. de Young were hosts, a supper on Monday night at which Joseph D. Redding was host, a tea Monday afternoon at which Mrs. Frank Johnson was hostess and a supper at which Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gerstle were hosts. All these and many more, in addition to the large tea given for the singer by Mrs. Gertrude Atherton. On Thursday Miss Fay left for Europe, having thoroughly enjoyed her three weeks' visit to her old home.

Among those invited to meet Miss Fay at the de Young dinner were Junkher and Mrs. John Lowden, minister of the Netherlands; Marquis de Villalobar, minister from Spain; Mr. and Mrs. George Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tobin, Joseph D. Redding and Frank Unger. In the evening fifty or seventy-five additional guests had been bidden for an informal evening of music. Some stunning gowns were worn by the ladies, notably by Mrs. Edgar Peixotto, who appeared in an orange satin; Miss Fay, who wore black; Mrs. de Young, who wore a peacock blue satin; Miss Jennie Blair, who wore white; Miss Enid Gregg, who wore London smoke; Mrs.

Mark Gerstle, who wore black; Mrs. Vincent Whitney, Mrs. Parker Whitney, who wore black velvet; Mrs. Worthington Ames, Mrs. William Drown, who wore pale blue satin with orchids, and Miss Genevieve Harvey, who wore white satin with a tunic of American beauty chiffon.

FAREWELL TO THE MARQUIS.

On Monday the Marquis de Villalobar, the Spanish minister at Washington, who has been spending the week in San Francisco in honor of the nativity of Portola, made his farewell bow to San Francisco society at an informal reception at the St. Francis. During the afternoon a Spanish staging society surrounded the Marquis in the Colonial ballroom and a number of society folk occupied the boxes. In one was Mrs. Eleanor Martin, Miss Genevieve Harvey, J. Downey Harvey and Roydon Williamson. In another was Mrs. Gertrude Atherton, Mrs. Ed Eyre and Mrs. Hyde-Smith. In another sat Mayor and Mrs. Taylor, the Marquis and a number of others. In the audience were noted Mrs. Frank Johnson, M. and Mrs. M. H. de Young, Miss Maude Fay, Miss Edna Fay, Miss Laura McKinstry, Mrs. Mark Gerstle, Miss Kathleen de Young, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Peixotto, Joseph D. Redding and Thorwald Mullaly.

NAVY LUNCHEONS AND DINNERS.

Monday was reception day on board the Dutch vessel Noord de Brabant. A luncheon was given that day in honor of Admiral Phelps, U. S. N., and Junkher and Mrs. John Lowden, at which, among other guests, were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Peixotto, Mrs. Vincent Whitney and Mrs. Parker Whitney. In the afternoon there was dancing on the canvased decks, with a buffet luncheon. After the Dutch tea many of the guests went on to the St. Louis, where open house was also being held, and in the evening the officers of the St. Louis gave a dinner. Miss Virginia Bogue was a guest of the Noord de Brabant, as were the officers of the Italian vessel in port.

RETURNED FROM NORTH.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burton Smith have returned from Cordova, Alaska, and will spend the winter with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. M. S. Harris, at 509 Sycamore street.

WHIST PARTY.

A very interesting whist party was held at the home of Miss Isabella Chinnell, 1275 Sixty-fourth street, the score of nine points being won by Ray Sanders. At the conclusion of the interesting game light refreshments were served.

Those who shared Miss Chinnell's hospitality were: Miss Anna Pallabum, Miss Bertha Chinnell, Miss Dorothy Peterson, Ray Sanders, Al Burton, Harold Long and Donald Parker.

INTERESTING DATE.

Miss Alice Rogers, the talented and accomplished fiancee of Charles Dutton, has named Wednesday, December 22, as the date for her marriage to the young musician. The ceremony is to be solemnized in St. Mark's church, Berkeley, and will be attended with elaborate appointments.

Mrs. John Boggs and her daughter, who have been making their home at the Fairmont, having taken apartments at Clay Court until after the wedding.

ROYAL WELCOME.

Miss Rowena Elston, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. S. Sandow, has returned from an enjoyable trip to Honolulu.

Miss Elston is receiving a royal welcome from her many friends in the bay region. This charming Berkeley girl has been spending several months in the

First Gun in Annexation Campaign to Be Fired Tonight

MAYOR MOTT, ARMED WITH FACTS AND FIGURES, WILL TALK TO ELMHURST VOTERS

Reduction of Taxation, Street and Lighting Advantages, Better Schools and Lower Insurance Rates Assured

Events are rapidly culminating in the campaign for bonds and annexation. All day yesterday, last night and this morning there was a marshaling of hosts preparatory to the fray that is to admit of no defeat in the advance movement.

Twenty-one hundred men are aligned on the battle front under the command of I. H. Clay and before Monday double that number will be deployed on the skirmish line enthusiastically working the two great purposes of the campaign.

The opening gun of the annexation issue will be fired tonight at Elmhurst by Mayor Mott and other speakers. The rally will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, East Fourteenth street and Orchard avenue. The Mayor is prepared to meet all the objections raised by those antagonistic to the proposed annexation of the territory and he is stored with facts why it is to the civic, social, business and financial advantage of those living within the boundaries of the districts to be annexed, to blend their future with that of Oakland.

The Mayor has facts and figures to show that there will be a reduction of taxation; they will be assured street and lighting advantages; improvement of schools, and a big reduction in insurance rates.

The Mayor will make no oratorical effort. He will hammer the facts into the minds of his auditors.

Puts Ginger in Campaign

The business men's meeting yesterday afternoon put ginger into the campaign. With \$1500 subscribed and the promise of as much more if needed from those present, without counting the other great interests and banking institutions whose representatives pledged themselves to render ample financial co-operation makes the way clear to wage an aggressive campaign from a monetary standpoint.

The publicity end alone will require at least \$10,000 to swing its program. A score of pamphlets presenting maps and facts and arguments for bonds and annexation are to be circulated by mail to voters in this city and in the district that comes within the proposed annexation lines. Stamps, messengers, mailing and printing cost money, but from the liberal subscriptions already received no apprehension is felt that the finance committee of five which President I. H. Clay has appointed to secure funds, will fail of its mission.

The banking interests, merchants, manufacturers and labor chieftains have all come out for the bond issue, making that feature of the forward movement almost a certainty. It can only be lost through the lethargy of voters or their negligence, which the active army of workers enlisted in the division under the generalship of J. W. Garthwaite promise will not happen on the present occasion.

Makes Thorough Canvass

To make assurance doubly sure they will leave no stone unturned to get at the sentiments of every voter in the city and find out the reason, if any is advanced by them, why every patriotic citizen should not vote for the bonds.

The fact that the labor chiefs have so enthusiastically come to the fore with their co-operation is encouraging and they wield a vast influence in the way of achieving success.

Annexation presents the most serious feature of the forthcoming battle of the ballots and that comes from the districts within the area proposed for annexation.

The opposition in the main is fomented by a small coterie of politicians who are encouraged by certain cliques in Berkeley and Alameda. Two-thirds of the protest against joining with Oakland has been reduced by an analysis of the situation to noise, and the other third to those who are conversant with the benefits that will accrue by becoming incorporated into the city of Oakland. The campaign of education and enlightenment as to the real facts of the situation will bring that vote into the fold.

An Enthusiastic Army

The declaration of the Oakland Traction Company that it favored bonds and annexation has had a profound effect in the outside district and dispelled much of the opposition that previously existed there. From now on a whirlwind campaign will be waged by an army of enthusiastic workers intelligently captained and its operations will extend so as to reach every voter and convince him that the right thing to do and the only thing to do is to vote for bonds and annexation.

BUSINESS MEN MEET.

"We are going to vote for bonds and increase the bounds of Oakland," was the slogan chanted at the meeting of business men held at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon.

The assemblage summoned in a few hours by working the telephone and special messengers, was one of the most representative gatherings of commercial and industrial chieftains and merchant princes that have ever come under one roof in the annals of the city.

The enthusiasm was electrical. While the convales was called primarily to enlist the services of the big employers in furthering the crusade for bonds and annexation, it had a financial feature attached to it that brought forth a liberal and prompt response.

"Go ahead," was the fiat of the men of money. "Wage the campaign. We'll do all we can and supply the ammunition."

President Harrison I. Clay opened the proceedings by setting forth why the annexation had been called.

"We want the support of the influential men of this city," said Mr. Clay. "We have its welfare at heart and endeavor to come to the determination whether we are to advertise ourselves as far near or far from somewhere as we can place as a great center."

Now the Oakland merchants are converted to the bond and annexation propositions, but we want to get everybody to pull on the wagon together. Now, I will leave that to you as to how far you will help.

ALL PULL TOGETHER.

"Well, we will all pull a hand at pulling the wagon," said H. C. Capwell. "I submit that it is simply a proposition of how many would prefer to go overland by an ox team or on a Pullman palace car."

The speaker made a comparison between conditions as they existed half a century ago in methods of transportation and today.

"I think those present will admit that the far pleasanter way is to go by the palace car," said Mr. Capwell, "and we will put our shoulders to the wheel and pull the Pullman. I can't see why it is necessary to argue the proposition as to the benefit the bonds and

annexation will be to Oakland, but unfortunately we have some doubters in our midst who can't be convinced. If you offered them a \$20 gold piece for \$19.95 they would hesitate about accepting the trade. Therefore it is that those who stand for better and greater things must work. We must all join, great and humble, in this supreme effort to place our city to the forefront. Remember it requires two-thirds vote to carry the propositions. It means that for every ballot cast against either of the propositions we have to get two to offset it. We must come together and pull for the common end. Work until the final moment and let us have the proud privilege of telegraphing the President that we have done the thing he told us to do. He showed a friendly and neighborly interest in us when he advised us to combine into one great city and to go ahead and improve our own water front.

"Now the facts are we have got good shooting and a gun. Now we need ammunition to make a killing and that is what we are here for—to provide ammunition and plenty of it."

Harry Williams said: "We must arouse interest in the fraternal organizations, labor unions and even the churches. We can't go backward; we must go ahead. We have a good administration, the best the city has ever had, and we must win."

Former Governor George C. Pardee said: "I didn't come here to talk. I am for bonds and furnishing part of the ammunition. Put me down for \$100."

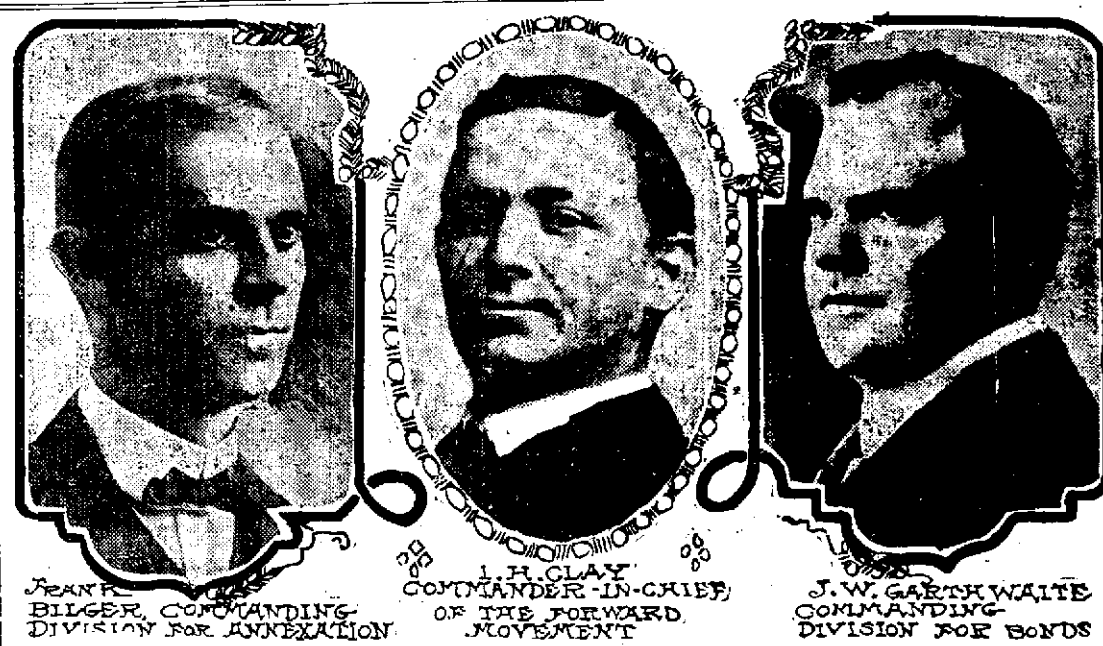
MONEY TALKS.

Frederick Kahn of Kahn Brothers, said: "I guess I'm in the same boat with Dr. Pardee. We will help supply the ammunition and as a starter put us down for \$100. That isn't all, either. That is for my real estate business."

Secretary Stern announced that Julius Abrahamson was unable to be present at the meeting but had authorized him to subscribe for an initial sum of \$100.

"Before I subscribed I wanted to know just how much was needed," said H. C. Capwell, "but you can start me off with a preliminary of \$100. This campaign will require at least \$10,000."

"The dry goods business seems to be



JEAN F. BILGER, COMMANDING DIVISION FOR ANNEXATION

I. H. CLAY, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE FORWARD MOVEMENT

J. W. GARTHWAITE, COMMANDING DIVISION FOR BONDS

good," remarked President Clay, significantly, bowing in the direction of Messrs. Capwell and Kahn.

"Well, it will be," retorted the former, "if the bonds are carried."

"Well, the Chamber of Commerce has gone on record for \$250 to help things along," said President Clay.

"The Merchants' Exchange came through with \$100," interjected Charles K. Cole, "and Charles J. Haseman subscribed another \$100 and T. J. von Loben Sels is down for \$100. Capwell previously subscribed \$50."

"That was for the annexation project," interjected Mr. Capwell.

"Theodore Gier is down for \$50," continued Mr. Cole.

"That isn't all. That was only for annexation," interjected the well known wine dealer and banker.

Others came to the front in rapid fire order. The Forum Cafe said \$50, W. E. Gibson wanted to hand in \$25. Hon. Charles E. Snook said "Put Snook and Church down for \$50." Robert Lett, on behalf of the Bowman Co., subscribed \$50. A. H. Schuster said he wanted to figure on the roll for a starter of \$50.

R. E. Kitchener said he was good for \$20 and more if needed. Smith Bros. went in on that offering for \$25. D. E. Perkins of the Burroughs Adding Machine Co., said he was good for \$25. The W. S. Mackay Co. suggested the same amount for them. Sherman, Clay & Co. wanted \$25 worth and the manager suggested if more was wanted to call around.

P. N. Hannan had his name put down for \$25. The Hub Clothing Company signed up for \$25. The Oakland Furniture Company and John Tiesch came in for \$15 each and the following subscribed \$10:

J. H. Robbins, Financial Underwriters, Hugh M. Cameron, Jordan Printing Co., E. H. Barker Co., J. J. McElroy.

There were more ten spots tendered from other quarters and an uproar from the \$5 givers.

CAME TOO FAST.

"This will never do," said President Clay. "We will have to circulate a list."

Charles K. Cole and Bernard P. Miller were unable to record the tenders of money.

A. Smith of the Security Savings Bank said: "I cannot say much more than that I want to see the bonds and annexation carry and you can depend upon us to do our share of supplying the ammunition."

Robert Lett, manager for Bowman Drug Co., said: "We want the bonds and annexation to win."

Henry Anderson said: "I am in this to do anything you want me to do."

A. H. Schuster said: "I am heartily in favor of this movement. The merchants can be depended upon to do their part and by concentrating their efforts they will have considerable influence."

Walter S. Mackay urged liberal contributions and said that in addition to what he had subscribed he would "come through again."

Frederick Kahn exhibited a card that was placed in every bundle sent out of the Kahn Bros. store and would be included in every statement mailed on Monday to the patrons of the firm. The reading of the card urges voting for bonds and annexation.

SNOOK'S STRAIGHT TALK.

Hon. Charles E. Snook was called for and pronounced his remarks by declaring he did not know much about elections, which statement provoked laughter.

"We must organize to carry these elections," declared the speaker. "We must carry them both. This committee should see to it that every man in favor of the proposition gets out and works. We have volunteers impressed into service, we have automobiles without hire and lots of good work must be done to get at the commuters. We want them to know that Oakland is San Francisco's best customer and that by helping Oakland they are helping San Francisco. The outside districts have looked at our doors and asked to let them in. Annexation is a step in the direction of closer and more economical government than we have today. There are men who oppose this trend of the community about the bay but economic conditions are more powerful than men. This forward movement cannot be stayed. It must go on. We all know that those in the outside districts who oppose the annexation movement are the clerks of the eleven or twelve sanitary districts who like to remain in office. Then there are the directors of the school boards, sanitary boards and other official organizations. They naturally oppose annexation from selfish motives and we must overcome their opposition by reaching the taxpayers and home builders by showing them the advantages that are to be gained by becoming part of us and convince them that it is in the way of economy. Men are needed to organize clubs in every district and bring the people there to the meetings. We must circulate 5000 Oakland newspapers out there every night until the close of the polls on election day and exert every effort to win and make this a great commercial center."

Mr. Snook advocated immediate and thorough organization and liberal subscriptions from the merchants to aid in carrying on an aggressive campaign.

D. E. Perkins related how Indianapolis, the capital city of Indiana and from that fact the dividend city, had by housing popular interest become the great and wealthy center that it is today. He said that the activities in Oakland were arousing the interest of the neighboring towns for upon his recent visit to Stockton the talk was about Oakland booming ahead.

J. H. Robbins, a San Francisco realty dealer living in Fruitvale, said he ap-

preciated the benefits that would arise from annexation and contributed \$10 to the cause.

SOURCE OF OPPOSITION.

John Aubrey Jones declared that the opposition to annexation in Fruitvale was fomented by petty officials and the saloon element.

Colonel Theodore Gier expressed astonishment at that statement. "We had them with us," said the wine merchant. "Well, you can get them again," declared a speaker in the audience.

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AVIATORS CAN GET INSURANCE

Scotch Company First in Field to Take Risk on Flyers

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—Insurance for those who go up in flying machines is the latest form of policy brought out by an enterprising Scottish Casualty Insurance Company. Maxwell Blake, United States Consul at Dundee, Scotland, reports today to the Bureau of Commerce and Labor that the corporation in question has recognized the need for insuring aviators. The innovation is looked upon with distrust by other insurance concerns of Great Britain, Lloyd's declining to issue such insurance on the operators, machinery or structure of aeroplanes or dirigible balloons. In view of the many amateurs who are entering the field of aviation, the rates naturally would be supposed to be so high as to be almost prohibitory. Consul Blake declares, however, that the date of the policy and indemnity provisions are surprisingly liberal.

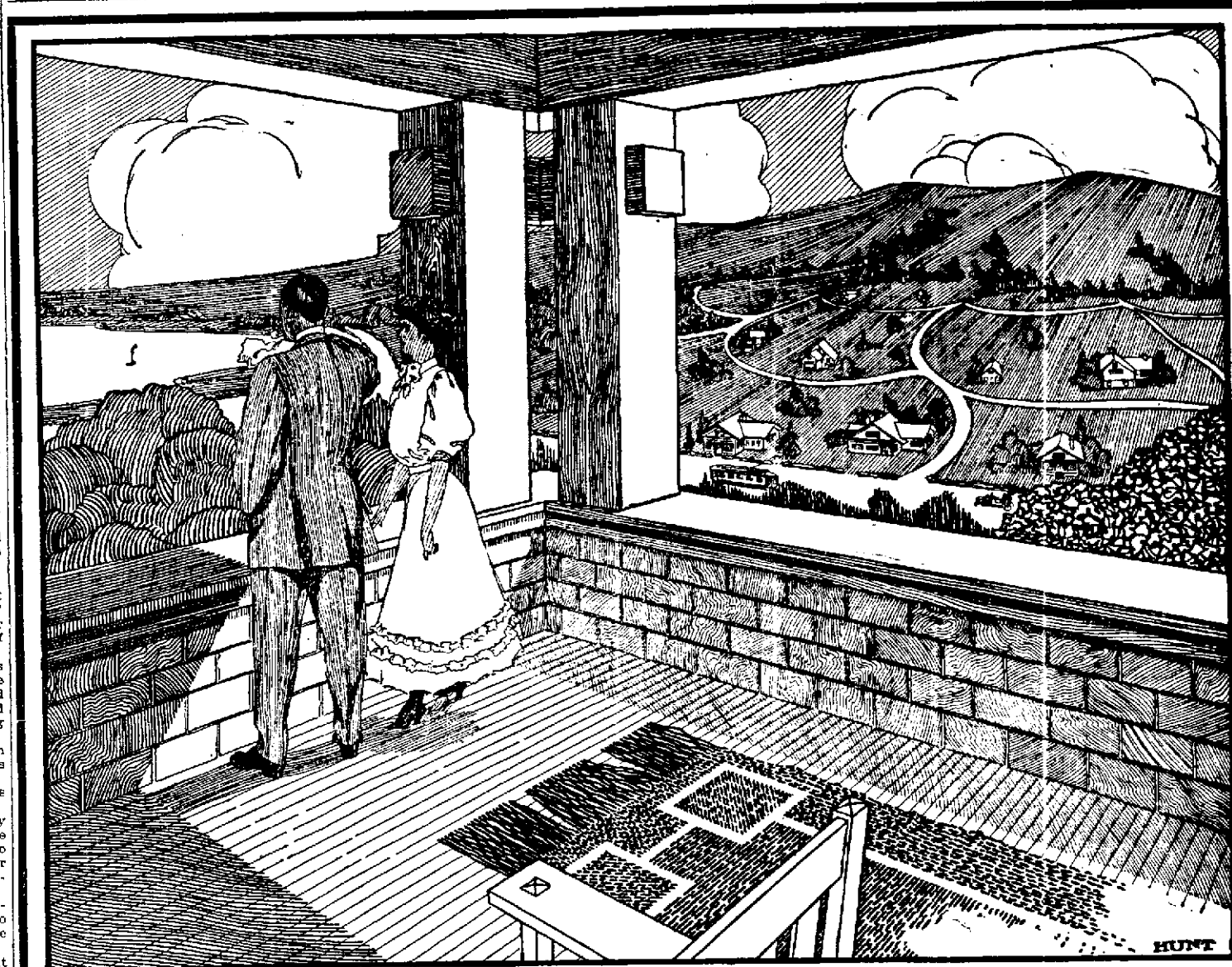
JUSTIFY KILLING OF FRENCH APACHE

Jury Declares Picard Did Right in Shooting Fugitive Gaspard Pompin

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—A coroner's jury, inquiring into the death of Gaspart Pompin, alleged to be a fugitive member of the Apaches of Paris and who was shot to death on Sunday night by Jean Picard, returned a verdict in which they justified the shooting. Picard was later formally charged with murder at the city prison. He will have a preliminary hearing this morning before Judge Deasy. Picard alleges that he was involved into a duel precipitated by Pompin, who had accused him of having written to the Paris police that he was here. Attorney Hogan will ask his release today on the strength of the coroner's verdict.

C. F. RUNYAN IS ELECTED PRESIDENT

SAN RAFAEL, Oct. 30.—C. F. Runyan, vice-president of the Mill Valley and Mount Tamalpais railway, has been elected president of the road to succeed the late S. B. Cushing, whose tragic death occurred a few weeks ago. John N. Cushing, son of the late president, was elected a director in his father's stead.



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Grand Ave. Heights is the only remaining high-class piece of subdivision property within the city limits of Oakland where good lots can be purchased, on terms, at reasonable figures.

SECOND FACT

The building restrictions required of all purchasers and the very nature of the property insures the erection of only the very best type of houses. It will even eclipse Adams Point in this respect.

THIRD FACT

The scenic features of the property are unusually attractive. From some of the lots, on a clear day you can see the Golden Gate, San Francisco, Lake Merritt and the hills of Piedmont. From a scenic standpoint Grand Ave. Heights reigns supreme.

FOURTH FACT

An electric line will run down Grand Ave. Boulevard directly in front of the property. Already the Grand Ave. cars run within 2 or 3 blocks of Grand Ave. Heights. People buying lots facing the boulevard can step off their own sidewalk right on to the cars.

FIFTH FACT

The improvements, such as street work, sewers, etc., are the finest money can buy. Lot purchasers have absolutely no expense of this kind to pay and, furthermore, do not have to wait for the work to be done.

SIXTH FACT

Grand Ave. Heights has appealed to more people during the past year than any other high grade subdivision in this county. Our success in putting it upon the market has been little short of phenomenal. The public readily recognizes it as the coming fashionable residential center of Oakland.

SEVENTH FACT

Property values will increase more rapidly in Grand Ave. Heights during the next five years than in any other section of Oakland. As soon as it is as thickly populated as Piedmont, choice lots will bring almost any price the owner wishes to ask.

EIGHTH FACT

The climate in Grand Ave. Heights is the finest of any in the city of Oakland. It is peculiarly protected by the hills from the winds that come from the ocean, and whier it is foggy at 14th and Broadway (only 9 minutes away) the sun is generally shining at Grand Ave. Heights.

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ADVICE TO WOMEN

MAUD FAY, CELEBRATED DIVA, TELLS ABOUT VOCAL STUDY

Interesting Description of American and European Methods and Tribute to Her First Teacher

Thousands of women vainly attempt to improve their complexions and to remove blackheads, crows' feet and other blemishes through the use of cosmetics. This treatment fails because the trouble lies far deeper than the skin. They are suffering from impure and impoverished blood. This condition is in many cases due to a catarrhal condition of the whole system which finds its expression in a pale, muddy complexion, dark-circled eyes, general weakness of the system, and perhaps most plainly in the weeping of mucous membranes that is commonly called catarrh.

In fact, this whole tendency is, properly speaking, German. English catarrh and the complexion will clear as if by magic, eyes will brighten, faces become rosy and shoulders erect. Perfect beauty comes only with perfect health, and perfect health for women can only be obtained through one certain treatment—at which will cure catarrh.

Dr. J. M. Swift, New York, the famous gynecologist known throughout the world and an accepted authority on all gynecological matters, states that the only possible relief for catarrh is the use of Mucic-Tone. Here is her letter: "I can strongly endorse the claims made for Mucic-Tone as a cure for catarrh. It builds up the strength, restores vitality. If women who are old and run down, lacking in energy and vitality, will use Mucic-Tone, they will praise as I do its strengthening and healing qualities."

Mucic-Tone works through the blood, acting upon the mucous cells, the congestion and inflammation of which causes local catarrh. This remedy causes poison to be expelled from the system, and the blood is purified and revitalized. Thus the natural functions of the mucous cells are restored and the membranes are cleansed and made strong. We know that Mucic-Tone does relieve catarrh. We positively guarantee to refund the money paid for this remedy in every case where the user is disappointed. It is a builder of vigorous health and a creator of good complexions. Price 50 cents and \$1 per bottle. Mail orders filled. It may be obtained only at our stores: The Rexall Stores, The Owl Drug Co., Inc., Oakland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Cal., and Seattle, Washington.

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SCHOOL GIRLS TO FIGHT FOR 'RATS'

dict Against Adornments Brings Storm of Protest From Pupils

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Two thousand girls attending the Erasmus High School, Brooklyn, have held a mass meeting at which they decided to ignore an edict issued by the assistant principal, prohibiting the wearing of "rats" and "puffs" in their hair. The order to discontinue the use of such aids to feminine adornment created such consternation that the girls held a mass meeting after school hours and agreed that the new rule would not be obeyed, and that all girls who so desired might continue the wearing of the puffs and rats and have the support of all the girl students. "The school faculty has taken a determined stand in the matter, and it is expected that a clash will result between the pupils and the teaching staff."

SEATTLE SUFFRAGETTES WON'T FIGHT—JUST WORK

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 30.—Washington suffragettes are not going to adopt the militant tactics of the English "suffragettes," said Mrs. Emma Smith Devoe, president of the Washington Equal Suffrage Association, at their headquarters here in the Art Building yesterday, after a dispatch stating that the Iowa Equal Suffrage Association had decided to adopt similar tactics.

"We'll not fight," she said. "We don't have to. We've obtained everything we want. The last legislature treated us very courteously. We are working now, not fighting, for we are carrying on a campaign for the election of November 3, 1918. The result will be placed before the voters of the state."

"I am not criticizing the Iowa suffragettes. I understand that legislature there has been favorable action, but certainly such methods are not countenanced here. We are workers, not fighters."

EXCURSION RATES TO STOCKTON AND RETURN

announcing on October 25th to the 30th, we will sell round-trip tickets to Stockton at one fare and one-third return, limit November 1st, according to "Golden Rule" collection. For further information see Southern Pacific Commission Southern Pacific streets, or in Pacific agent.

BOTH BOYS SAVED
Luis Poon, a leading merchant of Norwalk, Conn., writes: "Three bottles of Foley's Kidney and Bladder Pills cured my boy of a severe cough and a neighbor's boy, who was ill with a cold that the doctors gave him up, was cured by taking Foley's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Nothing else is as safe and certain in results. Wishard's Drug Store."

THE BED-ROCK OF SUCCESS
lies in a keen, clear brain, packed by indomitable will and restlessness energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills impart. They vitally energize every organ, build up brain and body. A. H. Haddon, Sacramento, Va., writes: "They are the best pills I ever used." 25c at Osgood Brothers.

Try Murre's Eye Remedy
For Red, Weary, Watery Eyes. Murre's Eye Remedy. Murre's Eye Remedy. Murre's Eye Remedy. Murre's Eye Remedy. Murre's Eye Remedy.

Two-Inch Plank Is Driven Into Body of Cyclist; Will Live

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—Although a two-inch plank was driven into his body when he was hurled from a motorcycle going seventy miles an hour, hospital surgeons announce today that Robert Lawson, a racer from Springfield, Mass., would live despite other serious injuries.

Lawson lost control of his racer while making a sport in training at Fiestra Park Thursday. He was thrown head first from the machine as it swerved around a turn and the impact of his body tore a plank two and one-half feet long from the track and drove it into his body from his left knee to the base of the spine.

The blow, the surgeons say, was sufficient to have killed ninety-nine out of one hundred men, but Lawson appears to have been the luckiest and will recover all his physical powers except probably the use of the leg.

FINAL ROUNDUP OF OLD PIONEERS

Men Who Crossed Great Divide Will Close Celebration of Days of '49

STOCKTON, Cal., Oct. 30.—This was the last day of the "Rush of '49" celebration. The weather is ideal and the crowds are the greatest yet, every boat and train adding sightseers to the great crowd already here.

The big feature of today was the manufacturers' and Oriental parade. It covered many blocks, and was witnessed by a throng of people that packed the sidewalks and streets for twenty blocks.

Flour, structural steel, food products, engines, pumping machinery, leather, beverages, dredging machinery and a variety of other products were shown, many of the floats bringing applause from the multitude.

The Oriental feature was furnished by the Chinese colony, which imported from San Francisco a huge dragon, the many Chinese all dressed in silks of many hues. The Oriental parade was the most interesting. Boat races on Oakland Park are in the schedule this afternoon.

GIVE THEM WHAT THEY'RE USE TO

Railroad Attorney Argues "Poor Accommodations for Poor People"

SEATTLE, Oct. 30.—That a railroad company is not obliged to furnish the general public with conveniences, such as used by the more fortunate classes of people or conveniences of a higher quality than the users are accustomed to, was the contention of P. V. Brown, attorney at law, in his argument before Judge Wilson R. Gay yesterday in the appeal cases from the orders of the State Railway Commission.

In July the railway commission gave for the railroad specific orders for the improvement of its service, including electric lights instead of kerosene lamps, and modern toilets at a number of stations on the road. Judge Gay will render a decision next week.

"It is the duty of the company," said Brown, in addressing the court, "to furnish patrons only the ordinary facilities in use by patrons at their homes, not those used by people of the better class. We aim to give the people the service they are used to. It is not incumbent upon us to furnish the best of conveniences used by wealthy people. Kerosene lamps are very well in kerosene lamp communities."

THREE BURNED TO DEATH WHEN HOME IS CONSUMED

BRIDGE, Ont., Oct. 30.—Shortly after midnight the house of A. McLaughlin, a bookkeeper, was destroyed by fire, and Mrs. McLaughlin and two young children were burned to death.

Mince Pie Every Day!

You can have mince pie every day with less effort than with any other form of dessert. Not necessary to spend hours over a steaming oven making mince meat. Waiting for you at the grocers, ready for instant use, is

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made better than any the most skillful housewife can put up and costs much less. Tea Garden Mince Meat is a delicious combination which will please the palate of the most fastidious epicure.

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NEEDLE IN RIGHT FOOT; OUT LEFT

Travels Through Woman's Body From One Extremity to Other

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—The removal of a needle from her left ankle, which ten months ago had entered her right foot, is the unique experience of Mrs. F. W. Force, widely known clubwoman and probation officer of this city. The operation was performed Wednesday evening by Dr. J. A. Collier.

Mrs. Force had complained of a soreness in her left ankle. On examination Dr. Collier told her there seemed to be a foreign substance in her ankle, and it was from that she was suffering, a doctor thought she was mistaken. About ten months ago I ran a needle in my right foot, however.

LOCATES NEEDLE.
Notwithstanding the protest, the physician probed under the skin and brought out a needle. "You say," he said, "without letting the patient see the needle he held in his hand, that a needle entered your right foot several months ago. Are you sure it was not the left foot?"

"It was the right foot," said Mrs. Force emphatically, "and my physician, Dr. Adams, spent some time in trying to remove it. He did succeed in getting the head, but the body of the needle remained in my foot, and there is a triangular scar on my right foot to prove it."

FREAK OF NATURE.
"I could not have believed such a thing possible had I not seen the remarkable evidence myself," said Dr. Collier today. "Mrs. Force knew the needle had remained in her foot, minus the eye, which was broken off by another doctor some months ago in trying to remove the bit of steel. The needle I removed had no eye and was in the left ankle. There was a scar on the right foot from the former operation. It is one of the most remarkable freaks of nature of which I have ever heard."

"BROKER BROWN" AGAIN IN TOILS

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—After a week of freedom on bail pending the trial of two charges of embezzlement, Harry P. Brown, the broker arrested eight months ago in Oakland, is in jail again today, accused of passing a spurious check for \$4,000 upon J. O. Owens, who was one of the numerous patrons of Brown's alleged bucketshop.

Brown was released last week on \$4,000 bail, but detectives who have followed the case asserted the belief that the former broker would not appear for trial.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Beautiful mansion, together with stables and outhouses, belonging to the estate of Margaret McLaughlin, deceased, who was the wife of the late Major Frank McLaughlin, the show place of Santa Cruz, situated on the embankment overlooking the Pacific ocean, as well as the valley. Call 3643 Grove st. cor. 37th.

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FOR SALE—Two cows and a small milking route; cheap. Apply 130 Hannah st.

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FLEET ENTERS MANILA HARBOR

Three Weeks of Target and
Battle Practice to Begin
on Friday

MANILA, Oct. 20. — The U. S. Pacific fleet, Rear Admiral Sebree commanding, entered Manila Bay at 3 o'clock this afternoon, two days ahead of its schedule. The voyage from Honolulu was uneventful.

The vessels anchored off the city at 5:30 o'clock. Rear Admiral Nazro, commander of the Asiatic squadron of the Pacific fleet, Rear Admiral Nantz, stationed at Manila, and other naval officials boarded the Tennessee and welcomed Admiral Sebree. A committee of citizens went aboard the flagship, extending the hospitality of the city and outlining a program of entertainment for the officers and enlisted men of the fleet. On Monday the fleet will coal in preparation for the target and battle practice which will be begun on Friday and is expected to occupy three weeks.

DOGS RECEIVE REPRIEVE FROM ALAMEDA COUNCIL

ALAMEDA, Oct. 20. — The matter of keeping roaming dogs off the streets of this city does not seem to be popular with the members of the City Council, for last night at the meeting of that body in committee session, two letters from residents of this city who desire the canines restrained, were ordered filed.

One of these letters was from H. C. Robinson of 425 Haight avenue and the other from Mrs. Benninghoff of Garfield avenue. Both asked that the council provide a law which would keep wandering dogs at the end of a chain or in back yards.

Councilman E. B. Bullock declared to the members of the committee that in his opinion the question is a serious one and that sooner or later the council will have to take action. The matter was then dropped.

CLUBHOUSE UPSETS; WORKMEN ENDANGERED

SAN RAFAEL, Oct. 20. — Daniel Garfield and William Gorman, two boatmen of Sausalito, had a narrow escape from drowning yesterday afternoon, while attempting to moor the building of the Golden Gate clubhouse, which had blown into the bay during a heavy squall the other day.

EVERY WOMAN

Covets a fresh, smooth, satiny complexion, and what satisfaction and peace of mind its possession brings. The lines of age, worry and overwork are rendered well nigh powerless by Mrs. Nettie Harrison's **LOLA MONTEZ CREME**. A wonderful soother, healer and protector to a dry, contracted or chapped skin. It is Complexion Insurance. Convince yourself of its remarkable power by obtaining a free sample and Book "SECRET OF BEAUTY AND GOOD HEALTH" at **WISHART'S DRUG STORE**, Cor. 10th and Washington Sts.

CLEVER WOMAN ROUTES BURGLAR

Armed Thug Terrorizes Two
Homes With Revolver
Play

An attempted burglary and a robbery, bearing marked resemblance to each other in the matter of daring and execution, took place during the last twenty-four hours in different parts of the city, and the police are now looking for the perpetrator, believing both jobs to have been done by the same person.

This attempted burglary took place in the home of Mrs. Frank Pladwell, wife of a salesman, at the corner of Fourteenth avenue and Hopkins street. The burglar cut the screen of the back door and forced his way into the house. Mrs. Pladwell was dressing in her apartments on the second floor. The intruder made his way to the second floor in search of jewelry or valuables and ran into Mrs. Pladwell. He instantly whipped out a revolver and stated he would kill her if she made an outcry.

WOMAN'S CLEVER REUSE

The woman calmly informed the burglar that her husband was a policeman and that he was asleep downstairs. The effect of this erroneous bit of information was magical, for the burglar immediately made a bolt for the front door, not stopping to gather up any valuables.

As soon as the stranger reached the street Mrs. Pladwell's nerves gave out and she resorted to screams. Mrs. I. Aldrich, a neighbor, was attracted by the noise and came to see what was the matter. The two women discussed the situation and decided to inform the police.

THUG IN BEDROOM

The robbery took place at 327 Sixth street, where George Munnada resides. He stated to the police that he returned home about 12:35 o'clock last night and went direct to his sleeping apartments. As he entered his room and lit a match, a stranger stepped from a closet, leading a revolver in his hand.

"Throw up your hands, or I will kill you," commanded the armed thug. Munnada complied with alacrity and submitted to being searched. The thief found \$2.25 on the person of his victim, which he took.

Commanding Munnada to keep still, the armed man backed through the door into the hallway and made his escape.

The police were notified and made an immediate investigation. From the description of the fellow, it would appear that he was the same person who sought to rob Mrs. Pladwell's home.

PLAN BANQUET TO BOOST NAVAL MILITIA PROJECT

ALAMEDA, Oct. 20. — To further the project of establishing a division of the naval reserves of California in Alameda, the Chamber of Commerce is arranging for a banquet to be given at an early date and at which Captain George Bauer, commanding the naval militia of the State, and his staff will be the guests of honor. The committee which has the affair in charge is composed of Carl Strom, commander of the Aeolian Yacht Club, D. O. Putnam and J. H. Hill.

LOVES CHINAMAN; WANTS ONLY HIM

Los Angeles White Girl Vows
She Will Return to Celestial
When Released

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 20. — Strangely enamored of Mills Sing, an unprepossessing young Chinese, and vowing that nothing shall keep her from him, Miss Alice Sheehan, a beautiful American girl of 17 who had been missing from home since Wednesday, was found by the police in his shack yesterday. She was taken to the County Jail, and when the Celestial, who was in hiding, learned this he telephoned to an attorney to defend her, and was himself apprehended. He was locked up and will be prosecuted to the limit on the charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

"We love white girl velles muchee," said Sing to Judge Wilbur when arraigned, "and she love me, too."

"I know he's a Chinese, but I was happy with him. I love him and shall go back to him," said the girl. "The officers broke in our home and spoiled the only romance that has ever entered my life. He's a man and a good man."

OCEAN VIEW IS VOTING TO CHANGE ITS NAME

BERKELEY, Oct. 20. — Shall we or shall we not change the name of our fair town is the momentous question in Ocean View today, and the citizens of the burg at the county line are voting on it today. For some time past there has been more or less confusion regarding mails, for there is another Ocean View in the state, and it has a prior claim to the name.

The town trustees talked the matter over and Frank J. Roberts, the first mayor of the town, suggested the name of Albany. He was born in Albany, N. Y., and has fond recollections of his birthplace. Now the people are voting on Roberts' proposition.

Mr. F. G. Fritz, Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "My little girl was greatly benefited by taking Foley's Orino Laxative, and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble. Foley's Orino Laxative is mild, pleasant and effective and cures habitual constipation. Wishart's Drug Store."

SAYS BIBLES HAVE BEEN TAKEN OUT OF CITY JAIL

EDITOR TRIBUNE: I noticed in yesterday's TRIBUNE, on editorial page, "Abuse of Prisoners," in the chain gang, and I am informed that prisoners have been beaten and knocked down in the City Prison by officers in charge, and think there should be an investigation, and find out how far these cruelties to prisoners have been practiced. I know of no law giving authority to misuse any one who may be unfortunately confined in our city prison, serving his sentence. I am informed that prisoners dare not make complaint, fearing that they will suffer doubly for complaining. I am also informed that certain officers have removed every Bible from the prison. Who gave the order for their removal? A man I believe is entitled to his Bible, although he may be serving a term in the city prison. E. C. VERDER.

ANNEXATION MASS- MEETING TONIGHT

Mayor Mott and Others to
Urge Consolidation at
Gathering in Elmhurst

ELMHURST, Oct. 20. — Everything is in readiness for the Oakland annexation mass meeting to be held tonight in Odd Fellows Hall, East Fourteenth street and Orchard avenue, Elmhurst. Unbounded enthusiasm has been displayed in the past meetings held in the various districts of the outlying territory to be annexed to the city of Oakland. It is rumored that many surprises will be sprung at the meeting tonight. The speakers will be Mayor Frank J. Mott, James P. Montgomery and others. During the evening musical numbers will be rendered by the Highland and Elmhurst schools glee clubs and the Lockwood school band.

Circulars have been distributed broadcast throughout the district with the following announcement: "Come out and aid in promoting a consolidated city and county government, and the securing of a five-cent fare under Section 1 of Act approved January 1, 1918, which is still in force and says: 'No street railroad in any city or town of this State with more than one hundred thousand inhabitants shall be allowed to charge or collect a higher rate of fare than five cents for each passenger per trip of any distance in one direction, either going or coming, along any part of the whole length of the road or its connections.'"

"Section 2 of the same act provides for forfeiture to persons unlawfully charged, the sum of \$250 for each instance. 'The road's charter is not in conformity with this act.' The wording of the charter under date of Oct. 20, 1930, as to fare is: 'No charge for a single fare shall exceed five cents for any distance less than one mile.'"

HEARST PREDICTED TO WIN OUT IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Oct. 20. — William M. Thyns, former Republican mayor of New York, and one of the principal advisors and supporters of Hearst in the present municipal campaign, has issued the following prediction as to the probable result of the coming election: "Hearst, 242,000; Gaynor, 195,000; Barnard, 167,000."

Leader Murphy of Tammany Hall issued a statement that Gaynor's plurality will be "aweeping" and adds that he was never surer of anything in his life.

WHEN A MAN'S FIFTY

When the average man reaches the age of fifty years, his body begins to creak a little at the hinges. Motion is more slow and deliberate. Not so young as he used to be is a frequent and unwelcome thought which obtrudes itself. Little indulgence in the way of rich food and stimulating drinks must be foregone. Certain bodily functions, upon which good health and good spirits so much depend, are impaired. As a rule, the weak spot is

THE BLADDER

When this organ becomes affected, even in a slight degree, it gives rise to most unpleasant symptoms. Painful and annoying complications in other organs arise, and a generally disagreeable condition exists. This is particularly true with elderly people. The important feature of the matter is that the trouble can be avoided and cured. A remedy is at hand which is at the same time effective and inexpensive—**GOLD MEDAL HARRISON OIL CAPSULES**.

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'MR. AND MRS.' IS CLERK'S MISTAKE

Frank Gould Denies Intention
to Marry--Was With a
Music Hall Singer

LONDON, Oct. 20. — The blunder of a clerk in the Savoy Hotel, which made it appear that "Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gould" had departed therefrom a couple of days ago, has been straightened out. The cockney clerk, not knowing Mr. Gould, or that he had been divorced from his wife only a few months ago, saw him go away with a woman and jumped to the conclusion that it was his wife.

As a matter of fact it was Miss Edith Kelly, a noted music hall singer, who recently appeared in New York in "Havana," who chanced to depart from the hotel at the same time Mr. Gould did. He met her casually on the steamer coming over here and when she said she was going to shop in Paris he volunteered to accompany her across the channel.

Mr. Gould, upon his arrival in France, immediately went to the home of his sister Anna, the Princess de Sagan, at whose country place he is making a visit. Miss Kelly (no relation to the Kelly family to which Mr. Gould's wife, Helen, belongs) presumably is busy with her shopping.

The hotel has given a statement of these facts to the British press. Mr. Gould's friends regret the blunder.

WASHINGTON GIRL IS NATIONAL ALUMNAE HEAD

CINCINNATI, Oct. 20. — At the annual convention of the Association of College Alumnae yesterday Miss Laura Drake of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Samuel F. Clarke of Williamstown, Mass., were re-elected president and secretary-treasurer, respectively.

Among the other officers elected for the ensuing year was Miss Jessica B. Folsom of Berkeley, Cal., fifth vice-president.

"HARD TIME" DANCE ON HALLOWEEN NIGHT

This evening there is to be hard times dance and Halloween party at Rice Institute where old clothes, fun, sheets and pillow cases, black cats and pumpkins will unite to make the evening one of fun and merriment, to say nothing of the witch and the fortune-teller.

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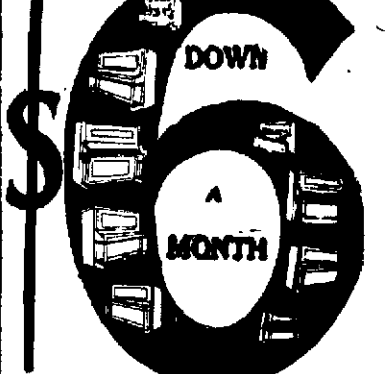
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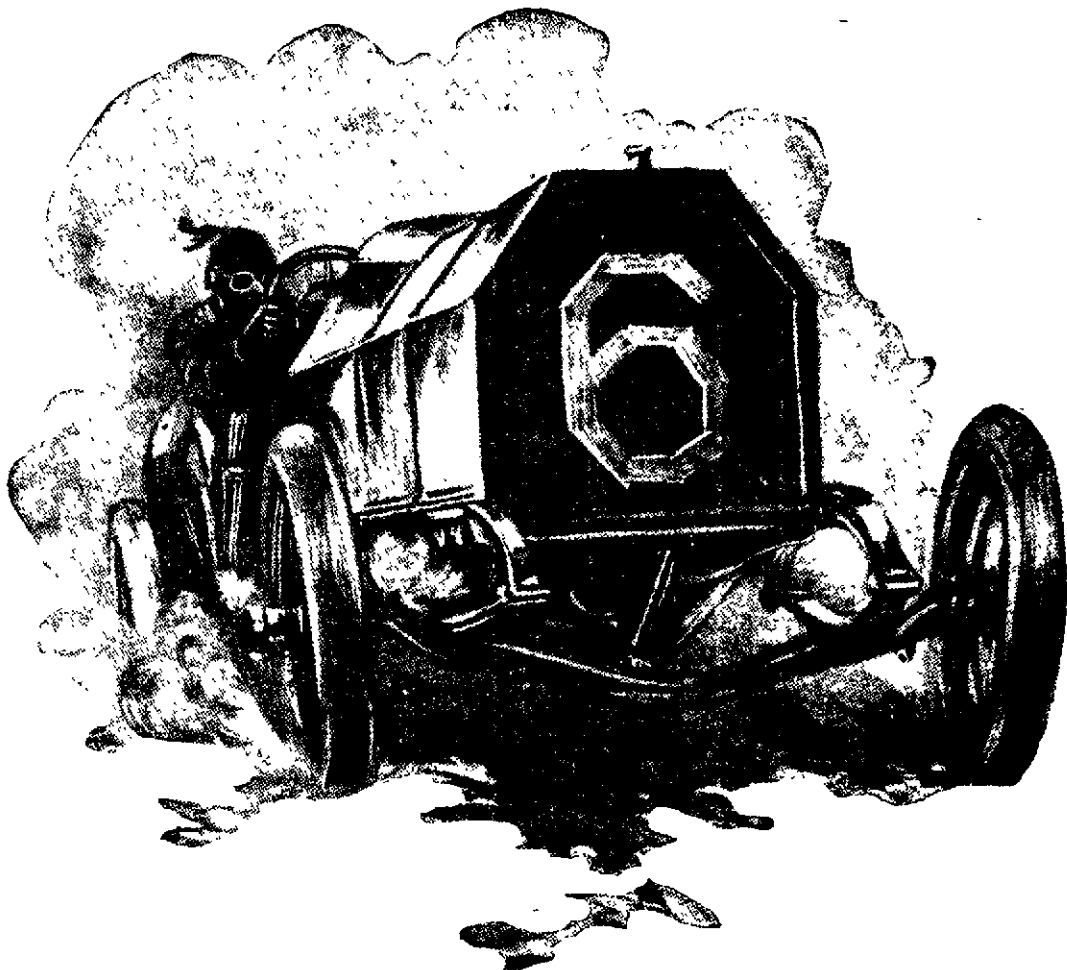
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FABOLA BENEFIT EVENT FOR ELITE

Success is Already Assured for Musical Carnival at Ye Liberty

Society on both sides of the bay is upon the tip-toe of expectation. And well it may be for on next Tuesday evening promise has been made that it will witness the most elaborate production in the history of local amateur theatricals. Ye Liberty Playhouse will be the fashionable rendezvous on that particular night and the much talked-of Fabola Hospital benefit will be the magnet which will draw hundreds of the smart set to its spacious circle and balcony.

Just what to call the mammoth entertainment in which more than a hundred Belles and Billums are to take a merry part is a matter which no man has yet been able to solve. There is so much of it that the dictionary refuses to give up a word broad enough to cover it all.

"We will call it a 'whew' which, in Burmese, means a carnival of good things," says Miss George Cope, under whose direction the exquisite Burmese music-drama, "The Pagoda of Flowers," is to be given.

"A Multitudinous Mixture of Mirthful Melodies," suggests Willard Barton, who captures the thirty minutes of musical comedy which is to follow the operatic feature.

"The Ballet of Frills and Frivolous Flirts," say Mrs. Thornton White and Miss Elsie Mulligan, who are prominent figures in the spectacular "Bells of Corneville" ballet, with its much heralded "flirtatious pantomime."

And so there is nothing left for the public to do but to go and name the affair for itself. Those who have had the privilege of seeing some of the recent rehearsals say that name will be "Success" spelled in letters as big as the house which greets it.

Think of an entertainment so large and so varied that it must go nameless because of its immensity. And yet a glance at the big triple bill brings a realization of the quandary. Three shows in one will be offered the fashionable audience which will fill Ye Liberty next Tuesday evening.

First will be presented the melodious composition of Amy Woodford Fanning, "The Pagoda of Flowers." The ladies of Fabola will have the distinction of having given this exquisite music-drama for the first time in its history.

For two seasons it has delighted the musical lovers of New York and London in concert arrangement, but never has it been offered in operatic dress. That it lends itself to this distinction with delightful effect is the message of the local musical elite.

It is to be given under the direction of George Cope, with Paul Steinfeld as musical conductor and Mrs. Lowell Redfield at the piano. The cast is as follows:

Gormala, a young priest formerly betrothed to Ma Nee,.....Lowell Redfield
Chit Maung, a college boy.....Edwin Anderson
Ma Nee, a flower seller.....Mrs. Grace Davis Northrup
Ma Mo, a village girl.....Miss George Cope



MISS KATHLEEN DE YOUNG

Prima—Clarence Shuey, Harry Leach, Eugene Blairhard
Soprano—Miss Booth Thompson, Miss Elsie Mulligan, Miss Virginia Pinkerton, Miss Helen Allen, Miss Seville Flaxman, Miss Katherine Sullivan, Miss Grace Fanning

Altos—Miss Hattie Gray, Miss Edith Warner, Miss Gertrude Bell, Miss Florence Camp, Miss Helen Madden
Tenors—Earl Barton, Mr. Casa Dr. Paul Wilkins, Mr. Phillips, Ed Allen, Eugene Austin Sperry, Charles Robinson, Walton Webb, Russell Countryman, Mr. Ham, Oren Chambliss

Scene—Platform of the Shave Dagon Pagoda
The scenic effects in the "Pagoda" production will be unusually beautiful and entirely novel in that the temple will be built of real flowers. A harbor scene will form the background, dotted with the twinkling lights of many vessels.

The costumes will be unique, those ever seen on any stage. They will be in the style of the land of Burmah—gorgeous in coloring and unique in design.

The thirty minutes of musical comedy will follow the operatic production. It will be a series of songs, hits and vaudeville numbers to be found in the Oakland and San Francisco smart sets. It will be the first number of the "Bells of Corneville" production, a charming number from the opera, "The Archduke," will be given by Mrs. Worthington Ames, Miss Gertrude Bell, Francis Hope and Willard Barton. This will be a study in black and white and was one of the most

fetching numbers at the Menlo vaudeville. Miss Kathleen de Young will sing, "Do You Know Me, Mr. Schneider?" from the "Gips of Gipsenberg."

"Till for Tat," an amusing selection from "Dream City," will be sung by Mrs. Joseph O. Tolson, assisted by Joyce Anderson, Du Val Moore, Frank Hooper, Stuart Laury, Randolph Bertheau, and Harold Bingham.

This will be an unusually interesting number, the men dressing in attractive costumes.

The next number will be in two parts, "Liza" and "See But You Look Good to Me." Miss Edith Gregory will take the solo part, assisted by Frank Hooper and Willard Barton. This summer was also given at Menlo with Mrs. Fred McNear in the solo part.

The last number will be "Come on Down Town," an exceedingly clever stunt to be given by Mrs. Paul Dismore, Miss Natalie, Miss Elsie Mulligan, Miss William Thornton White, Miss Mollie Metthes, Frank Proctor, Joe Rosborough, Harold Gaskill, Keith McGovern, Harold Baxter, Austin Sperry and Ed Allen.

Last upon the program will be the coronation ball, "The Bells of Corneville." The ballet has been divided into three parts. The opening scene pictures a village with its rural surroundings and rustic inhabitants. Among the clever number will be introduced "The Apple Tree," featuring a very pretty country lassie picking apples from real apple trees, which they toss to their faithful escorts. The next follows the "Belgian" number, in which bells attached to

the swinging cords are made to clime in tune with the orchestral music. Yet another feature will be Willard Barton and his "Six Ammeda Girls" in a pretty Spanish dance. A French waltz dance by Miss Martha Hackett, a Mexican duo by Miss Elsie Mulligan and Dr. Fred Davis, and a May pole finale will conclude the scene.

In the second scene a world ghost dance displaces the former gaiety. The interior of an old chateau is pictured with a miser fingering his gold. A mystic dance performed by goblins and willows accompanies the fall of the curtain.

In the last scene occurs the much talked-of "flirtatious pantomime." It pictures a party through in the midst of a fête of flowers and lanterns. Summer houses, festooned with garlands of colored lamps, occupy the foreground. The house the winsome maid who coquet with the passing swains. At the grand finale scores of ribbons attached to floral belts will be loose in the air.

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ALAMEDA COUNTY WOMEN'S CLUBS

BY FLORENCE B. LANGWORTHY.

Programs given by the women's clubs during the past week have been of more than usual interest.

On Tuesday afternoon an audience of representative club women gathered in the auditorium of Ebell clubhouse to hear Mirza Ali-Kuli Khan, the Imperial Persian consul at Washington, D. C., lecture on "The New-Born Persia."

The distinguished speaker has been spending the summer with his wife at Carmel-by-the-Sea, where they have been engaged in writing a book.

The Mirza gave a lengthy and exhaustive talk on the conditions of his country, taking his audience back to the earliest periods of its existence. The history of Persia was reviewed from long before the deluge up to the present time.

To the French revolution he ascribed the responsibility of the great things which are being done in Asia today, the difference between the French and Persian revolutions being that Persia accomplished in months what it took France decades to accomplish.

The Persians do not believe in anarchy, their glory being not to love one's country, but to love one's kind. The Mirza is a cultured speaker and held the attention of his audience through his address, which lasted two hours.

An opportunity was given during the social to meet this distinguished man. He has a most delightful personality, and during his stay in Carmel has made friends with his genial manner and ready wit. Mrs. Arthur H. Breed was presiding chairman for the day.

OAKLAND CLUB ISSUES NOVEMBER BULLETIN.

The November bulletin of the Oakland Club has been published and a number of interesting afternoons are planned for the club women. A business meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 3. On the second Wednesday of the month Mrs. H. A. Helbard of the Adelphean Club will give a talk on folk songs, which will be illustrated by vocal numbers by the Adelphean Club Quartette.

The monthly luncheon will be enjoyed on the third Wednesday of the month. On November 24, John F. Jury, a San Francisco attorney, will give an address, his subject to be, "The Literary Faculty." The musical program for the afternoon will be announced later.

The French section meets every Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Mrs. August Hopper, the instructor. Mrs. August Hangerberg is the chairman of the section and would be glad to have a few more join the class. The class is progressing splendidly and the members are making rapid strides in the study of the interesting language.

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MISS RUTH THOMPSON, who assisted at the Oakland Club luncheon.

Richmond gave an elaborate banquet in their rooms in the bank building last week. Among the guests of honor upon this occasion were the mayor and members of the City Council of Richmond, Councilman Albert Elliot, Mrs. James B. Hume, State president, C. F. W. C. and Mrs. Cora E. Jones, president Alameda district, C. F. W. C. The affair was planned on an elaborate scale and was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

This club has been organized but a few years and has for its object civic improvement. Through its efforts many improvements have been made in the city. The club has a membership of fifty-eight, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, president. Meetings are held every Friday. Sections of civic, educational and domestic science are organized and enjoyed by the club members.

DISTRICT PRESIDENT ON VISITING TOUR.
Mrs. Cora E. Jones, president of the Alameda district, C. F. W. C., left on Thursday for Stockton, where she will visit the Philomathean and Aldine Clubs. The district president is now on her visiting tour, intending to visit each club before the district convention, which will be held in Alameda, on February 3, 4 and 5.

The other out-of-town clubs are the Alameda Women's Club, Los Angeles Woman's Club of Brentwood, Woman's Improvement Club, Lodi; Country Club of Washington Township, Niles; Woman's Improvement Club, Pleasanton; Mendocino Club, Point Richmond; Woman's Improvement Club, Richmond, and Alta Mira Club, San Leandro.

READER'S CLUB OF THE BAY REGION.
The Reader's Club will meet on Thursday afternoon, November 1, at 2 o'clock. The subject of the meeting will be "Subject of Compensation." The first half of Tennyson's "Guinevere" is the book for consideration at this meeting.

The club's officers are: Honorary president, Mrs. George W. Haight; president, Mrs. Herbert Sanford; secretary, Mrs. Grant D. Allen; treasurer, Miss Gertrude Lewys Brown.

RUTH BRYAN TO 'JERSEY DEVIL' IS AVOID POLITICS FOUND IN WOODS

"I Am Not Candidate for Congress From Colorado," Says Peerless One's Daughter

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 27.—Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt is going to Congress, and neither is she going to do any of the numerous other things that she is said to purpose doing. Mrs. Leavitt has said a lot of things since her marriage, and one of them is not to do anything that Father and Mother Bryan have become a real issue with her.

The congressional beam for Mrs. Leavitt was started in Denver, which is her legal residence.

"I am not a candidate for Congress," she said the other day, when she came here for a visit. "I hope the talk will end with me. I am not a candidate for Congress."

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Dead Body Suggests Cross Between Lynx and "Any Old Thing."

BURLINGTON, N. J., Oct. 30.—If anybody ever doubted that a "Jersey devil" left its uncanny footprints in the snow of this and the proof that the carcass was never due to highballs. It is the carcass of the queerest animal ever seen, a beast that is not listed in any of the history books ever read by anyone.

The remains, still in good shape, were found by Morris Cabinsky and another boy of Roebing, in the woods near Kinkora this afternoon, and are now on exhibit in this city, where hundreds of people have seen and marveled at them.

Photographs have been made of the beast and Professor Henry Morris, curator of the State museum, will be appealed to to give the animal a name and place it where it belongs. If he is able to do so, the boys thought at first they had come upon the carcass of a big wildcat, but it looked so queer to them that they decided to carry it into town, where it instantly attracted widespread attention.

The animal is about two feet long, slender of body, with some resemblance to a cat as to the head and face, but with two forelegs that look more like the hind legs of a kangaroo, only the hind legs are four distinct joints and terminate in long feet of immense dimensions.

The hind legs are rather like the legs of a cat, but much larger. The head of the beast is long and slender and the head very small in proportion to the rest of the body.

Last winter several persons claimed to have caught glimpses of the "Jersey devil," but all averred that it flew.

Leavitt will receive a high royalty. The syndicate article started last year, on the subject of Mrs. Leavitt's travels in Europe, were also withdrawn during the campaign. Her friends will be glad to know they will be resumed the first of January.

Mrs. Leavitt and her children with company Mr. and Mrs. Bryan and their daughter, Grace, on a trip to the West Indies the first of December. After visit there, all will sail for Europe. Mrs. Leavitt going to Frankfurt and the Bryans later to South America. All will meet again on the Continent to return to America late in May.

News Notes and Gossip From Surrounding Towns and Counties

PLEASANTON

Mrs. Jerome Arendt was in San Francisco Tuesday.

Mrs. William H. Martin left Tuesday afternoon for a few days' visit with friends in San Francisco.

Mrs. Charles L. Griffith was in San Francisco Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Elsie Benedict was in San Francisco Tuesday.

Mrs. R. Arendt of Alameda spent the first of the week with the Arendt family of this place.

The Southern Pacific has put in a water fountain in the waiting room of the local depot.

The bids for the local school house closed Monday. It has not been made public whose plans have been accepted.

The Woman's Improvement Club held its meeting on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Harniss returned home Sunday after a pleasant week's tour in Utah, Idaho, and other places. She spent much time with friends in Idaho.

WARM SPRINGS
Miss Minnie Garcia went to Pleasanton to visit her sister, Mrs. Santos, who has been ill.

Mrs. Monseigneur is confined to his bed, suffering from a severe case of stomach trouble. The doctor has daily visits to the patient.

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DECOTO, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Wade De Garmo is visiting with her sisters, Misses Elsie and Edith, all the week. On Sunday their sister Mrs. A. L. Richmond, who has been in the hospital, came home to attend the funeral of her father.

The town was deserted during the funeral, which was held in the afternoon. The residents were enthusiastic over the funeral services.

Miss Sylvia Perry is very sick at the home of her mother on the hill back of the Masonic Home. Dr. Willis is caring for the patient, who has typhoid fever.

Miss Louise, who is recovering from her brother's illness, is on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McFarlin (nee Clara Luckson) came down from Sacramento on Friday week and visited their relatives, the Jackson family, for a few days.

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IRVINGTON
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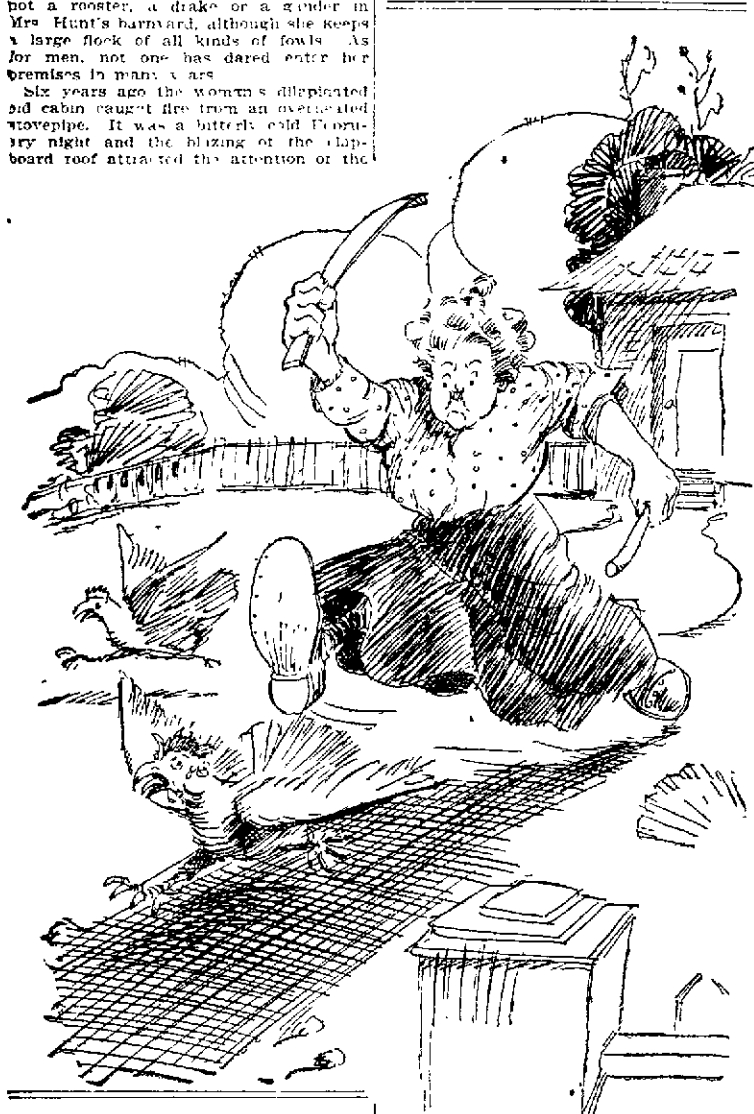
C. J. Emery of Alvarado is building a dairy barn for W. T. Warren at Warm Springs. The barn will be built for two stories of cows, or horses, and will have a large hayrack and modern sanitary features of a first-class building for dairy purposes. Warren has a fine Jersey herd of prize winners.

Robert Irwin has just received 250 barrels of cement for the new concrete bridge which he is building for the county over Warm Springs creek near J. H. Klink's place. This bridge will be a splendid improvement and the completion of the project will be a great credit to the present policy of building substantial concrete culverts and bridges is a most commendable one and is rapidly making Alameda county the best and safest in California.

Manuel, the infant son of Manuel Amador, died Tuesday. The funeral was held Friday at Mission San Jose.

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SINCE I have been in the country, I have seen many strange things. One of the strangest I have seen is a woman who has been in the country for twenty years and who has never been in the country before. She is a woman who has been in the country for twenty years and who has never been in the country before. She is a woman who has been in the country for twenty years and who has never been in the country before.



neighbors, who turned out eagerly, not only desiring to do Mrs. Hunt a neighborly turn, but also feeling in the occasion an opportunity of testing the antiquity she had so long shown to her neighbors. They set to work without her calling for help.

The reclusive, who invariably retired for the night at sunset, was all unconscious that the roof over her head was a mass of flames.

"What devil in the form of a man is there?" was the first sound that came from within the cabin as the ladders crashed against the eaves.

"You house is on fire, Mrs. Hunt!" shouted back Frank Workman, a neighbor.

"You'll all be burning in hell if you don't get out of this," retorted the frenzied woman. "I'd rather roast in my

bed than have any human devil of a man desecrate my place."



female help is hired, the mistress of the place prefers a young single woman, her avowed reason being that she is a woman who has been in the country for twenty years and who has never been in the country before.



Won Girl and His Wager
NEW YORK — "See that girl? Well, I don't know her, but I'll bet you \$100 I marry her next fall," said James A. Crotty, to the manager of the Palmer House, Lakewood, N. J., at last Easter.

It is not on record that the manager took the bet. If he didn't he was lucky, for Crotty married Miss Burke yesterday in the church of St. Thomas the Apostle, St. Nicholas avenue and One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

Immediately after Crotty, who was a widower, had uttered his challenge to the hotel man, he obtained an introduction

to Miss Burke. Within two weeks they were engaged.

The wedding took place in the bride's home. Maurice Crotty was his brother's best man, and Miss Regina Burke was her sister's maid of honor. The couple will spend their honeymoon at the place where they first met.

RICHES
Through all the changes of the year Three things there are my heart holds dear—

The voice of him who hides my friend
What'er the fates may choose to send,
The word or deed of sympathy
From one a stranger unto me,
The trust of those whose sorrows plead
My help to breast their hour of need.
—Charlotte Becker.

Women in the Gentle Art of Swapping Horses

CAN women be successful as horse dealers?
In Surrey, England, there have been a number of women who have been successful as horse dealers.

She is said to have a good experience in a training stable, where she has established quite a reputation for her graceful and daring riding.

For some time past she has been a prominent figure at various horse and dog shows in London.

It has been suggested that by such an invasion of man's soil this woman is perhaps opening up a new field for female enterprise.

It is in the opinion of men who have grown up in the business of horses, it is possible for a woman to become a horse dealer, in the full sense of the term, as it is for the proverbial camel to go through the eye of a needle.

whole secret of the animal is worth, so as to buy him at a price that will insure a reasonable margin of profit. Other- wise the dealer might pay too much, and possible have to sell at a loss.

When buying a new horse one must examine him thoroughly to tell whether he is sound and strong. The age of the animal is learned by a look at the teeth.

Then, too, the horse, like the ordinary human being, is subject to various ailments and diseases, some of which are not at first apparent, but may be detected only after long training. Certain ailments,

such as glanders, are contagious. This disorder is accompanied by a watery discharge from the nostrils, and may be detected by a hand, immovable growth in the glands of the throat. A good dealer never buys a horse without first feeling his neck for indications of glanders. However, there are many defects which are not so easy to discover, so the dealer is generally his own veterinary surgeon.

So a thorough knowledge of horse requires the work of many years spent in the handling and care of them. The successful dealer is usually the man who, used on the farm or around the stable, has lived among horses ever since he was able to climb upon the back of

one. Such an experience has always been considered outside of woman's province. The dealer must also be able to work a horse properly, and must know how to show him off for his own satisfaction when buying or for the satisfaction of a prospective customer. To handle a green horse requires the exercise of a certain amount of physical strength and skill not usually credited to a woman.

Again, the horse dealer comes into daily contact with a class of men who, although perhaps kind and gentle of heart, are often rough of manner and coarse of speech. They are not the class of men who care to deal with a woman or with whom a woman would care to be continually associated.

Horsemen admit that there are many women who can drive or ride a horse as well as a man, and they concede that it is possible for a woman to do well in the raising of polo ponies, or some such thing. But when it comes to bona fide horse dealing, they see no chance whatever for the gentler sex.

Of course it is perfectly possible for a woman to invest her money in the business and have some one else do the real work, but then she would not really be a horse dealer. Moreover, those who are simply investors almost invariably lose their money, for the reason that the man who fully understands his business does not need a financial backed to buy him. He wants to shift for him-

self, and can build up a business of his own.

One dealer cited the case of a woman who formerly lived back of his place. A few years ago her husband died, leaving her a comfortable sum. Rather than have the money remain idle, she wanted to invest it in some business, and decided on horse dealing, as her husband had done a little in that line.

She put up her money and hired a man to run the business. He was familiar with horses, but knew nothing about buying and selling. The consequence was that in a short time the woman was reminded of the old proverb, "It is no use putting your money in the hands of a man who will not take care of it."

assumed that woman was necessarily an economic burden. Consequently her father often wished to transfer this burden as soon as possible. If a woman waited to pick and choose for the sake of finally getting a husband whom she could love it meant that she must be supported at home for a longer period than if she took the first well-off suitor who presented himself. To marry for a home was woman's obvious duty. If the homemaker was agreeable to her that was her good fortune, but not an inevitable part of the proceedings.

"I should wish higher education for women to be destroyed and blotted out forever," concluded Mrs. Carpenter. "If I believed that it unfitted them for the duties of the home, there is a woman's best place, there she is happiest. Her college life only trains her for the home life."

Does a College Education Make Women Good Mothers?

I believe that the college education of women makes the finest type of mother. It is quality, not quantity, of children which should count.

That, in brief, is the report of Mrs. Philip Carpenter, president of the Sorority Club of New York, and graduate of Mills College, Oakland, California, and of New York University.

It is a scientific fact that for the evolution of the best type of both male and female are required. Then it is only to assume that, other things being equal, the splendid physical and mental health of the college woman will preclude itself in a specially fine progeny. It is the college woman most of all who is the best mother in the sense that she is capable of producing the finest children, and thereby of definitely assisting in the evolution of the race.

As to the contention that the college woman has fewer children than other women — even if this were true — it should be quality not quantity that counts. But certainly among college women of my acquaintance the families average as large as those of most modern women of culture.

They are beginning to understand that the duty of parents does not end with bringing children into the world — only begins there.

American Models Are Best, Because They're Not so Feminine
The models in New York excel those to be found anywhere else in the world," says E. H. Blashfield, the famous American artist who employs more female models than any other artist in New York.

"This is because New York is a cosmopolitan city, and we have models of all nationalities, the majority of them being foreign born. For all that, our prettiest models and those nearest approaching the ideal are American girls. They are more apt to be all around good models than the girls from other countries."

Every few artists use any hard and fast rule as to the suitability of a model. There is, however, a canon of proportion with which most students familiarize themselves, but after they have been painting a few years they cast aside all mechanical rules and trust entirely to the judgment of their eyes.

They can care for property. It isn't playing fair with either the family or the world. In this general movement of "consciousness," as opposed to more instinctive animal motherhood the college

women because of their high average breadth of vision, and perhaps the leaders. "Then the college woman knows how to care for her children so excellently — she is such a perfect mother. In that sense she has personally acquired the necessary scientific knowledge to look after the physical side of her children's lives. She knows the laws of hygiene and many simple medical regulations. She is qualified to guide the unfolding of the small minds through her study of psychology and anthropology. She is almost always able to create an atmosphere of culture and social charm in her home — one of the finest, sweetest influences on growing boys and girls."

"Furthermore, it is an undoubted fact that the college woman rarely marries except for love. Why should she? Why should any woman for that matter? But yet, in the days before colleges, it was

At Mont St. Michel in France there is an inn which until recently was kept by a Madame Poulard. Years ago she was pretty, but she never attracted wide attention for her beauty until a noted literary man visited the inn and wrote something about her. Immediately the fame of 'La Belle Poulard' rang through France. Of recent years she was famous more for her omelets than her beauty. People used to go miles to see her — like Katsushika's left shoulder blade in 'The Mikado.' But doubtless on the island where her inn stood there were a dozen women just as beautiful as she, only they had no literary man to write them up.

Husband Made Her Take Too Many Hot Baths; Wife Now Seeks Divorce

Should a woman be given a divorce if her husband compels her to take hot baths? This was the question Circuit Judge Pettit was called upon to decide yesterday, when Mrs. Clara L. W. Bradt asked for legal separation from William N. Bradt.

The treatment accorded Mrs. Bradt by her husband was not quite what she had expected when she promised to become his bride, but she asserted that she stood it patiently, until Mr. Bradt forcibly shoved her into a bath tub of scalding water. At that time she protested, and finally decided upon asking the court for a divorce.